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DECOGNISED by the International CONVENTION OF 30TH APRIL, 1862. CAPITAL FULLY PAID-UP.....£3,200,000.

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The Hongkong Agency receives Fixed Deposits on Terms to be ascertained on application, grants Drafts and Credits on all parts of the World, and transacts every description of Banking Exchange Business. E. SCHWEBLIN,

Agent, Hongkong.

Tongkong, April 12, 1881.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION. (Incorporated by Royal Charter.) PAID-UP CAPITAL.....£1,500,000

DATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DE-At 3 months' notice 3% per Annum,

Current Accounts kepts on Terms which may be learnt on application. GEO. O. SCOTT. Acting Manager.

Oriental Bank Corporation, Hongkong, September 4, 1879.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, .......5,000,000 Dollars.

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman A. McIver, Esq. Deputy Chairman-H. L. DALRYMPLE, Esq.

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Australia, America, China and Japan. T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, August 16, 1881.

### Notices of Firms.

NOTICE. THE Undersigned have been appointed BOLE AGENTS for the Sale of their GOODS by Mesars KYNOCH & Co., of WITTON, MOOF BIRMINGHAM.

MEYER & Co. Hongkoug, August 18, 1881.

NOTICE

TRE S. J. CRUTCH is authorized to WI Sign our Firm per Procuration. REISS & Co. Hongkong, 11th July, 1881.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instruc-

tions to Sell by Public Auction, on

SATURDAY,

the 27th August, 1881, at 2 p.m., at the

The whole of the

comprising:

DINING TABLE, BAR, GLASS and CROCKERY

WARE, WARDROBES, WASHSTANDS, &c.

ONE STEEL PLATE ENGLISH BILLIARD

ONE AMERICAN CAROM TABLE, complete,

ONE AMERICAN CAROM TABLE, complete,

Two Bowling Alleys, with New Balls

The whole of the

OFFICE FURNITURE,

ONE PARLOUR and ONE COOKING STOVE.

The entire Stock of Very SUPERIOR WINES—Champagne, Beer, &c., &c., &c.

For Sale.

FOR SALE.

VALVOLINE CYLINDER OIL.

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TRAL. consisting of Four ROOMS suitable

for Dwelling, and Three ROOMS suit-

able for Offices. Also GODOWN capable

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Sole Agents for China,

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

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FOR SALE.

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Do. Do. No. 1 Silver Capsule.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

• COGNAC,....,No. 1 Gold Capsule.

CHATEAU BRANE MOUTON in Quarts.

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A BOUT 2,000 fts. MILLER & RICHARD':

A Extra-hard Metal BOURGEOIS

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NO. 2, Old BAILEY STREET. And, No. 6, PEDDAR'S HILL.

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Keep on hand and for Sale, well assorted

Oilman's Stores and Coal of all kinds

Shipping expelled at the shortest notice with all kinds of Ballast and fresh Pro-

F 50, 18 bas Hist STEET.

Hongkony, June 15, 1881.

visions at moderate charges

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Also, No. 9, SEYMOUR TERRACE,

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For Particulars, apply to

Hongkong, January 21, 1881.

Apply to

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MOBRISON HILI

T. G. GLOVER

No. 7, Queen's Road Central,

Apply to

fairly good condition).

Apply to

Hongkong, July 22, 1881.

Hongkong, July 26, 1881.

Hongkong, August 3, 1881.

ADET SEWARD & CIE'S GEARETS.

the occupation of Messrs Kelly & Walsh.

For further Particulars, apply to

Valuable LEASEHOLD PROPERTY

situated in the QUEEN'S ROAD CEN-

Hongkong, June 27, 1881.

of holding about 600 Tons.

Hougkong, July 25, 1881.

Hongkong, June 13, 1881.

ULES MUMM

Hongkong, February 2, 1880.

ECA, DA SILVA & Co.,

J. M. ARMSTRONG.

Auctioneers.

A COTTAGE PIANO.

by F. STRAHLE & Co.

by FAILAND.

and Pins.

TABLE, with BALLS, CUES, &c.

Catalogues will be issued.

Hongkong, August 17, 1881.

TERMS,—As customary.

Established February,

SPARKLING SAUMUR.

TIES, in all the New Shapes.

THREAD, SILK, and COTTON.

SOCK SUSPENDERS.

FELT and STRAW, HATS.

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Notices to Consignees. For Sale.

OUTFITTING.

SHIRTS, COLLARS, SCARVES, and

Every Description of SUMMER HO

BATHING DRAWERS and DRESSES.

| SIERY, Plain and Striped | | Hose | |

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HAVE JUST RECEIVED FOR SALE: FRESH HOUSEHOLD STORES and GROCERIES from Crosse & Blackwell. J. More & Some HUNTLEY & PALMER, &c., &c., &c. FRENCH JAMS AND ISIGNY BUTTER.

COSMOPOLITAN CLUB, No. 15A, Staunton WINES, SPIRITS, &c. Street (apposite the "Union Church"),-CLARETS-Medoc, St. Emillion, Haut TALENCE, LA ROSE, LATOUR, &c. HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., SHERRIES—SACCONE'S (celebrated). PORTS-HUNT'S, OUR CELEBRATED "R." BURGUNDY, CHAMPAGNE, and Hock.

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BRANDIES-Courvoisier's, Exshaw's, and HENNESSY's. NEW NOVELS (as they appear).

ACCOUNT and OFFICE BOOKS by the Best Makers. A Large Stock of FANCY ARTICLES. New CABINET PHOTOS. .. SILBER SWING and STAND LAMPS (large stock). LIGHTNING CONDUCTORS. BILLIARD CUES, TIPS, CHALK, &c.

New Shapes in MEERSCHAUM and BRIAR-PIPES. TOBACCO and POUCHES. MANILA, PENANG, and HAVANNA CIGARS. ELECTRO-PLATED GOODS in New Designs. Webley's REVOLVERS, and all Kinds of SPORTING GEAR. LAWN GRASS SEED. AMERICAN FLOWER and VEGETABLE SEEDS.

SUTTON'S SEEDS to arrive per Gleniffer. SPECIAL-The REVISED NEW TESTAMENT. Hongkong, August 2, 1881.

Intimations.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

HE Half-Yearly MEETING of SHARE-HOLDERS will be Held in the OF-FICES of the Company, No. 14, Praya Central, on MONDAY, August 29th, 1881, at 3.30 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and a Statement of Accounts to 30th June, 1881 THIS Oil is a lubricant for the Valves The Transfer BOOKS of the Company and Cylinders of Steam Engines, and will be CLOSED from the 15th to the 29th is free from the objections which exist

Instant, inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors. R. COOKE, Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, August 8, 1881.

CHINA SUGAR REFINING COM-

PANY. LIMITED. THE General Agents, with the Approval of the Consulting Committee, beg to intimate that an INTERIM DIVIDEND, of FIVE PER CENT. upon the Paid-up Capital of the Company, will be Payable on the 15TH AUGUST NEXT, to all Shareholders on the Register at that date. will be CLOSED from the 1st to 15th

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, July 20, 1881.

DENTAL NOTICE.

Proximo, inclusive.

T.R. EASTLAKE is now permanently in his New DENTAL ROOMS, Lower Floor of the Hôtel DE L'Univers, Wynd-Hongkong, August 3, 1881.

DENTAL NOTICE.

TAR. ROGERS has returned to Hongkong, and he will now remain here after that date. permanently. Hongkong, July 21, 1881.

THE SAFEST AND ONLY RELIABLE PREPARATION OF PHOSPHORUS. T.R. BRIGHT'S PHOSPHODYNE.-Best known remedy for Nervousness, Indigestion, Liver Complaints, and all Functional Derangements; extensively used in the Army and Navy, and highly recommended by the Medical Faculty.

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Agents: - WATSON & Co., Hongkong Dis-WATSON, CLEAVE & Co., Shang- Government. hai Pharmacy.

ENTERICON gives Immediate Relief to Indigestion, Lowness of Spirits, Wind in the Stomach, Giddiness, Palpitation of the

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gists throughout the Civilized World. Sold in China by :--Warson & Co., Hongkong Dispensary. WATSON, CLEAVE & Co., Shanghai.

Intimations.

HONGKONG HUMANE SOCIETY. THE Annual MEETING of the MEM-BERS of the above Society will be Held at the CHAMBER of COMMERCE ROOM, City Hall, on MONDAY, the 22nd August, at 5 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Committee, a Statement of Accounts, and to elect Officers for the en-

MEMBERS and Others taking an Interest in the Society are invited to attend. T. R. FISHER,

Honorary Secretary. Hongkong, August 18, 1881. IN THE SUPREME COURT OF

HONGKONG. PROBATE JURISDICTION.

1. In the Goods of Thomas Wharton Moore, 2. In the Goods of Clara Douglas, Deceased. 3. In the Goods of TAN CHINA, Deceased.

NI OTICE is hereby given that, in accordance with the Provisions of Ordinance No. 9 of 1870, Section III., an Order has been made by the Honourable FRANCE Snownen, Acting Chief Justice of the said The Transfer BOOKS of the Company Court, limiting the time for Creditors and others to send in their CLAIMS against the above-named Estates, to the Eleventh day of September, 1881, on or before which date all Claims must be proved, otherwise

they will not be included in the scheme of All Persons INDEBTED to any of the above-named Estates are requested to make immediate Payment to

C. F. A. SANGSTER,

 Official Administrator. Hongkong, August 17, 1881.

NOTICE. TERSONS having CLAIMS against the

Firm of Ahmed Hajee Hassan are requested to present their CLAIMS to the Undersigned for Payment, within 15 days from date, as no Claims will be entertained HASSAN HAJEE CASSUM,

Attorney of the said AHMED HAJEE HASSAN. Hongkong, August 11, 1881.

NOTICE.

THE Public are informed that the Scrip for SHARES numbered 5640 to 5643 in the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co. has been STOLEN, and Application has been made for same to be Cancelled.

The Public are informed that the Scare for SHARES No. 43, Nos. 297 to 301, and Nos. 756 to 760 in the Hongkong Ice Co. has been STOLEN, and Application has been made for same to be Cancelled. Hongkong, August 15, 1881.

NOTICE.

ESSEES of LOTS on the British Set-LI tlement of Shameen, Canton, are hereby requested to Pay the Amounts due on their Several Lots as Annual Ground RENT into. H. M. CONSULATE, on or before the 4th September, 1881.
All Lots on which Ground Rent has not been paid on the 4th September next, will be liable to be re-entered upon by H. M.'s

A. R. HEWLETT, H, M. Consulate, Canton, 16th August, 1881.

ONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND declared for the Half-Rate of (£1 10/.) One Pound and Ten SHILLINGS STERLING per Share of \$125, is PAYABLE on and after WEDNESDAY, the 17th Instant, at the Offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants. By Order of the Court of Directors,

T. JACKSON, - Chief Manager. Hongkong, August 16, 1881.

THE "FAR RAST. THE ISSUES OF 1878 WANTED. Apply at this OFFICE. Hongkong, October 4, 1890.

UNION LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM LONDON, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Castello, Captain Coates, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the

Steamer will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on to Shanghai, unless notice to the contrary begiven before 5 o'clock p.m. To-MORROW, the

20th Instant. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 29th Instant, or they will not be recognized. RUSSELL & Co...

Ayents, Hongkong, August 19, 1881.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S. "NIIGATA MARU," FROM

CIONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Vessel are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after To-DAY, the 16th Instant, will be landed and stored at Consignees' expense and risk. No Fire Insurance will be effected. H. J. H. TRIPP,

Mitsu Bishi Mail S. S. Co. Hongkong, August 16, 1881.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FROM LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Carmervonshire, PATRICK, L Commander, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that the Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the

Undersigned at Wanchai, whence delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless notice to the contrary be given before 3 p.m. To-day.

Consignees wishing to receive their Goods have quick despatch. on the Wharf are at liberty to do so. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 22nd Instant will be

subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Tinents. Hongkong, August 15, 1881.

Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW The Steamship

Captain Pocock, will-be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 21st Instant, at Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, August 17, 1881.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL The Co.'s Steamship Capt. T. Purdy, will be despatched on SUNDAY,

the 21st Instant, at Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

Hongkong, August 19, 1881.

FOR MANILA. The Steamship "Esmeralda." Captain Talbot, will be despatched for the above Port on TUESDAY, the 23rd Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, August 16, 1881.

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS. The Co.'s Steamship

" Anadyr," Commandt. HERNANDEZ, will be despatched for SHANGHAI shortly after her arrival from G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Agent.

Hongkong, August 19, 1881. NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS. The Co.'s Steamship " Menzaleh."

Commandant Homeny, will be despatched for YOKOHAMA shortly after the arrival the next French Mail from Europe. G. DE CHAMPRAUX,

Agent

Hongkong, August, 19, 1881.

Shipping.

Steamers. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for CHEFOO, NEWCHWANG, TIEN-TSIN. HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.)

The Co.'s Steamship "Telemuchus." Capt. H. Jones, will be the 24th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, August 16, 1881.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship

Capt. A. Kind, will be despatched on or about the 27th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents.

Sailing Vessels.

Hongkong, August 12, 1881.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Ship "New Era,"
Sawyer, Master, will load here
for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, August 19, 1881.

For Freight, apply to

FOR LONDON. The 3/3 A.1.1. American Ship " Invincible." Skewes, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co.

Hongkong, August 16, 1881. FOR LONDON. The A 1 British Barque " Carlotta.' TRICKEY, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, August 15, 1881. FOR LONDON. The A 1 British Ship J. M. WHITE, Master, will load here for the above Port, and

vill have guick despatch. For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, August 11, 1881.

FOR ILOILO. The French Barque Captain NORMANT, will have immediate despatch for the

For Freight, apply to REMEDIOS & Co. Hongkong, August 10, 1881.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The American Ship "Highlander,"
B. Clough, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, June 14, 1881.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Ship " Daniel Barnes." STOVER, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will au21 have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co.

> FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Ship " Mary L. Stone. FIELD, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, July 29, 1881.

Hongkong, July 28, 1881.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Ship Anderson, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

RUSSELL & Co.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, July 28, 1881. FOR NEW YORK.

WHITNEY, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

The L. 1.1. American Bark

FOR LONDON. The 100 A 1 British Ship Paren, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will For Freight, apply to

VOGEL & Co.

Hongkong, July 22, 1861.

Hongkony, July 18, 1881.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR LONDON. The 3/3 L.1.1. British Bark RENNIE, Master, will load here "Tiber."

For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co.

for the above Port, and will

Hongkong, July 14, 1881.

have quick despatch.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 3/3 L.1.1. American Ship "C. F. Surgent," ATHERTON, Master, will lond here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, June 15, 1881.

Mails.

NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT DE GALLE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILIA, PORT SAID, NAPLES, AND

MARSEILLES: BOMBAY, MAHE, ST. DENIS, AND PORT LOUIS.

ON THURSDAY, the 25th of August, 1881, at Noon, the Company's S. S. AMAZONE, Commandant DE LA MAB-CELLE, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the

principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted until Noon of 24th August. Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 24th August, 1881. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are re-

For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office. G. DE CHÂMPEAUX,

Hongkong, August 12, 1881. Occidental & Oriental Steam-

Ship Company. TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE,

THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS, ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.

THE S. S. OCEANIC will be despatched for San Francisco via Yokohama, on WEDNESDAY, the 31st Instant, 1881, Connection being made at Yokohama,

with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan

All Parcel Packages should be marked to

address in full: and same will be received at the Company's Office, until 5 p.m. the day previous to sailing. A REDUCTION of 25 % made on all RETURN PASSAGE ORDERS ISSUED. Consular Invoices to accompany Overland, Mexican, Central and South American Cargo, should be sent to the Company's Offices addressed to the Collector of Cus-

For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50a, Queen's Road Central. CHAS. H. HASWELL, JR.,

toms. San Francisco.

Insurances.

Hongkorg, August 17, 1881.

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COM-PANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG

CAPITAL, FULLY SUBSCRIBED, .... \$1,000,000. Board of Directors. KOH MOON WAH, Esq., Chairman. BAN HUP, Esq. | LEONG ON, Esq. | K. YIN KAI, Esq. | CHONG PENG, Esq.

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World, payable at any of its Agencies. Contributory Dividends are payable to all Contributors of Business, whether they are Shareholders or not WOO LIN YUEN, Secretary.

HEAD OFFICE, No. 2, Queen's Road West, Hongkong, March 14, 1681.

NOTICE. QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY.

THE Undersigned are prepared to accept Ricks on Eirst Class Godowns at 1 per cent. nett premium per annum. NORTON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, May 19, 1881.

Per Brindisi, for Shanghai: from Hong-

Per Sunda, for Yokohama: from Hong-

Bennet, R.I.F., Lieut. W. S. Levett.

kong, General and Mrs Michell, Lieut, J.

R.I.F., Mr MacCallum, Mr A. R. Hewlett

Per Consolation, for Bangkok, 12 Chi-

Per Niigata Maru, for Kobe, &c., 8 Chi-

To DEPART.

Per Conquest, for Hoihow, &c., 20 Chi-

Per Deucation, for Singapore, &c., 3

Per Thales, for Coast Ports, 1 European

Per Welle, for Hoihow, &c., 30 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Esmeralda reports

Moderate variable winds and fine weather.

Strong southerly winds and rain.

winds with fine weather throughout.

The British steamer Deucation reports

The American steamer Ping-on reports

with squally weather during the passage.

CARGO.

11,402 boxes Tea (64,813 fbs. Congou

Sconted Orange Pekoe-total 238,471 ibs

Tea); from Canton, 334 bales Raw Silk, 68

bales Waste Silk, 284 bales Punjum Silk,

30 bales Cocoons, and 18 cases Silk Piece

Goods; from Shanghai, 831 boxes, 8,549

half-chests and 904 pkgs. Tea (particulars

unknown), 320 bales Raw Silk, 54 bales

Waste Silk, and 2 cases Silk Piece Goods;

from Yokohama, 101 half-chests and 190

bales Raw Silk .- To Continent : from Can-

jum Silk; from Shanghai, 75 bales Raw

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

Per Welle, at 9 a.m. To-morrow, the 21st

Per Castello, at 5 p.m., on Monday, the

Per Esmeralda, at 3.30 p.m., on Tues-

French Contract Packet Amazone

will be despatched on THURSDAY,

the 25th August, with Mails to and

through the United Kingdom and

Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon,

Colonies, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and

The usual hours will be observed in closing

HOURS OF CLOSIN

THE FRENCH MAIL

The following hours are observed in closing

Day before departure (or Saturday if the de-

parture be on Monday),—
5 —P.M.—Money Order Office closes.

open out of Office hours.

A.M.—Registry of Letters ceases.

A.M. - Mails closed, except for Late

Late Fee of 10 cents until

Posting of all printed matter

on board the packet with Late

Fee of 10 cents until time of

A.M.—Post Office opens.

and patterns ceases.

11.10 A.M. -Letters may be posted with

11.30 A.M.—When the Post Office closes

11.40 A.M.-Late Letters may be posted

Quotations.

Hongkong, August 20.

New Benares, cash,... 6372

New Malwa, credit,... 710

Allowance, Taels..... 8

Old Malwa, credit,... 760

Allowance, Taels..... 16

Exchange.

So days' sight, private 724

Shares.

China Traders' Ins. Co., \$1,600 p. sh. ex div.

North China Ins. Co., Tls. 1,125 per share.

Yangtaze Ins. Assoc., Tls. 820 per share.

Chinese Ins. Co., \$305 per share.

H. C. M. S.-boat Co., \$24 prem.

Hongkong Gas Co., \$82 per share.

H.K. Fire Ins. Co., \$995 per share.

China Fire Ins. Co., \$290 per share.

H.K. & W. Dock, 49 % prem., sales.

S'hai Steam Nav., Tis. 3 per s. nominal

China Coast St. Nav. Co., Tls. 160 p. share.

Hongkong Hotel Co., \$1021 per sh. sellers.

China Sugar Ref. Co., \$155 p. share, sales.

Chinese Imperial Loan of 1874, nominal.

H.K. Ice Co.'s shares, \$1271 per share.

Temperature.

(Taken at Mesers Falconer & Co.'s Premises.

Queen's Road.)

Hongkong, August 20.

1 P.M.... 29.888

4 P.M....

I P.M. ... 87

Do. 1 р.и. 80

Do. 4 P.M. -

BAROMETER- 9 A.M.... 29.924

THERMOMETER -- 0 A.M. ... 63

Do. 4 P.M.... 50 Do. (Wet bulb) 9 A.M. 80

Do. Maximum ... 87

Do. Minimum over night 80

Do.

Hongkong Bakery, \$431 per share.

of 1877,

Do. Debentures, 3 % prem.

Hongkong Bank, 106 % prem. ex div.

Union Ins. Soc. of C'ton, \$1,675 p. share.

30 days' sight, ... ...

Documentary, 4 months' sight, 3/9

4 months sight,

OPIUM-New Patna, cash,...\$637½

entirely.

Post Office closes, except the

NIGHT Box, which is always

Mails, &c., by the French Contract

MAILS will close:

day, the 23rd inst.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET.

For SHANGHAL ---

For MANILA.-

Gibraltar.

Packet :-

Day of departure.

Bank, Wire, ...

Demand.

India, Wire, ...

Shanghai, demand.

Gold Leaf, 991 fine

demand.

the Mails, &c.

22nd inst.

FOR HOIHOW AND PAKHOL --

Europeans, and 33 Chinese.

and-200-Chinese-

kong, Messrs B. C. Atterbery, and Thos.

### For Sale. MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co. TTAVE RECEIVED FOR SALE, Ex French Mail Steamers " Amazone."

Finest FRENCH BUTTER in Kilo Bottles. Noilly PRATT'S VERMOUTH.

Ex "Agamemnon Regulation-LIFE BELTS. LIFE BUOYS. FILTERS, assorted sizes. BATH BRICKS, SHOE BLACKING. HUBBUCK'S PAINTS and OILS.

Ex S. S. " Ulusses." Fine New Season's CUMSHAW TEA, in 5 and 10 catty Boxes. BREAKFAST CONGOU @ 25 cents p. tb.

Ex " Highlander." T WHOLESALE PRICES. 200 kegs Fine American FURNISHING NAILS, Nos. 3 to 12. American SPIKES, 4 inches to 7 inches. 50 barrels Prime American Mess PORK. Philadelphia Extra BEEF. Finest Strained ROSIN.

City PITCH. 150 cases SPIRITS of TURPENTINE. 100 barrels Dried APPLES. 500 cases FLORIDA WATER. 50 barrels American COAL TAR. LAMP BLACK. 50 cases American CLOCKS.

COTTON DUCK, Canned BEEF, MUT. TON. OYSTERS, LOBSTERS, CORN, TOMATOES, Corned BEEF, Condensed MILK, Tomato CATSUP, HANDSPIKES, OAKUM, ASH OARS; MAPLE, ASH, and White Pine PLANKS.

Ex " Abbie Career," Florence COOKING STOVES. STEAMERS and BRAILERS. CORN BROOMS. India Rubber KNEE BOOTS AGATE WARE, in every variety of Kitchen Utensils. Charter Oak COOKING STOVES. Spartan COOKING STOVES.

Ex Steamers via Sucz Canul. DOUGLAS' OFFICE CHAIRS. Messes Gardner & Co.'s Perforated VENEER. HIGH REVOLVING OFFICE CHAIRS. HIGH-BACK OFFICE CHAIRS. ROCKING FOLDING CHAIRS. DINING-ROOM CHAIRS.

BOURBON WHISKY.

LADIES' ROCKING CHAIRS. The above we can highly recommend for office and domestic use, being admirably adapted to this climate.

Ex "Gleniffer." CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S AND OTHER HOUSEHOLD STORES.

TEYSSONEAU'S DESSERT FRUITS. SAVOURY PATE. GAME PATE. PORK PATE. OX PALATES.

HUNG (Hambro') BEEF. HUNTLEY & PALMERS' BISCUITS. FRUITS for Ices. SHERBET. COCOATINA

VAN HOUTEN'S COCOA. Epps's COCOA. Robinson's Groats. GELATINE Russia OX-TONGUES. French PLUMS.

PATE DE FOIE GRAS. . SARDINES. Ham TONGUE and Chicken SAUSAGE. Breakfast BACON.

ASPARAGUS. MACCARONI. VERMICELLI. SAUSAGES. MEATS. SOUPS, &c., &c. COPYING PRESSES.

EX AMERICAN MAIL Eastern and Californian CHEESE. Boneless CODFISH. Prime HAMS and BACON. Russian CAVIARE. Eagle Brand Condensed MILK. PEACH, and APPLE BUTTER. Pickled OX-TONGUES. Family PIG-PORK in kegs and pieces. Paragon MACKEREL in 5 lb cans. Beau Ideal SALMON in 5 to cans.

Cutting's Dessert FRUITS in 21 to cans. Assorted Canned VEGETABLES Potted SAUSAGE and Sausage Stuffed PEPPERS. Assorted PICKLES. MINCEMEAT.

COMB HONEY in Original Frames. Richardson & Robbin's Celebrated Potted MEATS. Richardson & Robbin's Curried OYSTERS. Lunch TONGUE.

Assorted American SYRUPS, for Summer Drinks. McCarty's Sugar LEMONADE. Clam CHOWDER. Codfish BALLS.

Green TURTLE in 21 to cana.

ALIFORNIA RACKER OMPANY'S BISCUITS in 5 lb tins, and loose. CUITS.

Fancy Sweet Mixed Discounts. BISCUITS. Ginger CAKES. Soda BISCUITS.

Oyster BISCUITS Cracked WHEAT. OATMEAL.

HOMINY. CORNMEAL BUCKWHEAT FLOUR. RYE MEAL.

SPECIALLY SELECTED

WINES, SPIRITS, BEER AND AERATED WATERS. SHIPCHANDLERY of every Description. from this date. RIGGING and SAIL-MAKING promptly

Hongkong, August 11, 1881.

Insurances.

NOTICE. CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, Is prepared to ACCEPT FIRST-CLASS RISKS at 1 % nett per Annum, and other Insurances

at Current Rates. Shareholders are reminded that the Directors have the power of distributing a certain proportion of the ascertained profits annually among such Shareholders as have contributed business to the Company. AGENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of China and Japan, and at Singapore, Saigon, Penang, and Manila. A. G. STOKES,

Acting Secretary. Hongkong, May 19, 1881.

THAMES AND MERSEY MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE-1, ROYAL EXCHANGE BUILDINGS, LONDON.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong and China for the above Company are prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at Current Rates, allowing usual Discounts.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, May 3, 1881.

MANCHESTER FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

ESTABLISHED 1824.

Capital of the Company £1,000,000 Sterling of which is paid up £ 100,000 Reserve Fund upwards of £ 120,000  $\pm 250,000$ Annual Income

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Fooshow, Shanghai, and Hankow, and are prepared to grant osprances at current rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 15, 1868.

CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED.) NOTICE.

TOOLICIES GRANTED at current rates on MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World. In accordance with the Company's Articles of Association, Two-thirds of the Profits are distributed annually to Contributors, whether Shareholders or not. in proportion to the net amount of Premis contributed by each, the remaining third being carried to Reserve Fund.

J. BRADLEE SMITH, \_Secretary.

Hongkong, April 6, 1881. TANGTSZE INSURANCE ASSOCLATION.

CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up).....Tis. 420,000.00 PERMANENT RESERVE......Tis. 230,000.00 SPECIAL RESERVE FUND.....Tls. 288,936.17 Total Capital and Ac-

CUMULATIONS, 2nd April, 1881..... Directors.

F. B. Fornes, Esq., Chairman. WM. MEYERINK, Esq. W. M. Boyd, Esq. J. H. PINCKVOSS, F. D. HITCH, Esq.

HEAD OFFICE-SHANGHAL Messrs RUSSELL & Co., Secretaries. LONDON BRANCH

Messrs BARING BROTHERS & Co., Bankers.RICHARD BLACKWELL, Esq., Agent, 68 and 69, Cornhill.

Policies granted on Marine Risks to all parts of the World. Subject to a Charge of 12 % for Interest on Shareholders' Capital, all the Property of the Underwriting Business are an nually distributed among all Contributors of Business in proportion to the Premia paid by them.

RUSSELL & Co.,  $^{ au}Agents.$ Hongkong, May 20, 1881.

LE CERCLE-TRANSPORTS.

SOCIETÉ ANONYME D'ASSURANCES MARITIMES, MARSEILLE. CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED, ... 15,000,000 Francs.

CAPITAL PAID-UP,..... 3,750,000 THE Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS of the above Company, are

prepared to grant Policies on MARINE RISKS to all ports of the World. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, Sept. 25, 1880.

THE SOUTH BRITISH FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND.

CAPITAL £1,000,000 (One Million Sterling). Unlimited Liability of Shareholders.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are 20, General -Russell & Co Alphabetical BIS- prepared to accept FIRE and MARINE RISKS at Current Rates, allowing usual

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co. Hongkong, July 1, 1881.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament, ESTABLISHED 1880.

CAPITAL,....£2,000,000.

THE Undersigned, Agents at Hongkong I for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same, at Current Rates. RISKS on First Class Godowns Reduced to 1 % nett premium per annum

Agents. Hongkong, May 10, 1881.

GILMAN & Co.,

To-day's Advertisements. Brown, Signor M. Vela and Musicians. UNION LINE.

FOR SHANGHAL The Steamship

(H. B. M. Consul, Canton), Mr H. M. Hosein Glenroy, and Capt. C. W. Hare, Captain Coates, will be despatched for the above R.I.F.; from Singapore, Mrs Dollman. Port on TUESDAY, the 23rd Instant, at Per Olympia, for Hoihow, &c., 20 Chi-For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, August 20, 1881. au23 PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned will sell by Public

THURSDAY, the 25th August, 1881, at Noon, in the

Auction, on Account of the Concerned,

Godowns of Messrs JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., No. 7, Queen's Road Central,-SUNDRY ARTICLES, SAVED FROM THE WRECK OF S. S. " Elgin,

consisting of :-1 LIFE BOAT, MAST, SAIL & OARS. 1 CHRONOMETER, by BARRAND. 1 COMPASS. 3 SHIP LANTERNS, STORES, &c. TERMS - Cash on delivery in Hongkong

T. G. GLOVER, Auctioneer? Hongkong, August 20, 1881.

Currency.

AUCTION OF ELEGANT EUROPEAN AND AMERICAN HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

T ANE. CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions from Dr. East LACKE, to Sell by Public Auction, at his Residence, No. 14, Albany Road, on

MONDAY. the 29th Instant, at 2 o'Clock p.m., -The whole of his Valuable

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. comprising: EUROPEAN and AMERICAN DRAWING-ROOM

pkgs. Tea (particulars unknown), and 15 SUITES, CRETONNE and REP-COVERED, CHIFton, 95 bales Raw Silk, and 20 bales Pun-FONIER. MANTEL-PIECE MIRRORS: CLOCKS. WINDOW CORNICES and HANGINGS, MARBLE-TOP TABLES, LAMPS, PICTURES, &C., &C. SOLID OAK-CARVED DINING TABLE CHAIRS, MAHOGANY SIDEBOARDS, GLASS and Electro-plated Wareli&c. MAHOGANY, BRASS and IRON BEDSTEADS,

with Spring Mattresses; Solid Mahogany WARDROBES, WASHSTANDS and SERVICES, DRESSING TABLES and Toller MIRRORS, BED-ROOM CHAIRS, &C. A BOUDOIR GRAND PIANO, by RACHALS & Co., made expressly for the climate and

A Valuable PARLOUR ORGAN. A Fine Old CREMONA VIOLIN. A Large and Valuable Collection Shells and Curios. Erc., ETC.

Catalogues will be issued, and the Furniture will be on view on Saturday, the 27th Instant. TERMS.—As usual.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, August 20, 1881.

Not Responsible for Debts.

AT either the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour:-ALVA, Portuguese ship, Captain E. A. de Souza. -Brandlo & Co.

-Carlotta, British barque, Captain Trickey.—Geo. R. Stevens & Co. CARMELITA & IDA, German barque, Capt. E. G. Ketels.—Order.

C. F. SARGENT, American ship, Captain D. H. Atherton.—Captain... FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE, Br. bque., Capt. A. McIntyre,—Arnhold, Karberg & Co. INVINCIBLE, American ship, Captain Jas.

F. Skewes. -Borneo Company, Limited. LEONIDAS, British ship, Capt. W. Prehn. MELUSINE, German barque, Captain Th. Pflieger.—Melchers & Co.

MINERVA, German brig, Captain P. Dulme. - Melchers & Co. Myvanwy, British barkentine, Captain H. Braybrooke.—Turner & Co. NAPLES, British steamer, Captain C. White,—Vogel & Co. NAUTILUS, German barque, Captain W. Stolp.—Siemssen & Co.

NEW ERA, American ship, Captain C. H. Sawyer.—Borneo Company. STAR OF INDIA, British barque, Capt. H. D. Roe.—Adamson, Bell & Co. THE TWEED, British ship, Captain J. M. Whyte,—Russell & Co.

Welle, German steamer, Captain J. R. Massmann.—Meyer & Co.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. Aug. 19, Emeralda, British steamer, 395, 27se81 R. Talbot, Amoy Aug. 18, General.-Aug. 19, 7 p.m., Deucation, British str.

1633, F. Purdy, Shanghai Aug. 13, and Foochow, General. - BUTTERFIELD & SWIBE. Aug. 20, Rajanattianuhar, British str. 933, Hopkins, Bangkok Aug. 13, Rice and General. - YUEN FAT HONG. Aug. 20, Amoy, British steamer, from

Aug. 20, 1 p.m., Ping-on, American steamer, 575, A. A. McCaslin, Haiphone Aug. 15, Pakhoi 17, Hoihow 18, and Macao

DEPARTURES. Aug. 20, Consolation, for Bangkok. 20. Olympia, for Hollow, &c. 20. Nigata Maru, for Kobe, &c. 20. Sunda, for Nagasaki & Yokohama. 20. Brindisi, for Shanghai. 20, Larch, for Shanghai.

CLEARED. Highlander, for San Francisco. Seewo, for Shanghai. Africa, for Shanghai. Conquest, for Holhow, &c. Fleneborg, for Tientain. Deucalien, for London, &c. Tholes, for Coast Ports. Welle, for Holhow, &c.

Per Esmerolda, from Amoy : for Manila. Captain Speisen, and 72 Chinese; for Hongkong, Miss Muller, and 14 Chinese. Per Rajanattianuhar, from Bangkok, Mr Libby, and 110 Chinese. Per Deucalion, from Shanghai and Foochow. 23 Ohinese. Per Ping-on, from Haiphong, &c., 15 ChiMEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping.

Daylight .- Thales leaves for Coast Ports Daylight .- Deucation leaves for London.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES:-

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL.-Rev. W. Jen. nings, M.A., Colonial Chaplain. Morning Service 11, Evening 5.00 (a short service) Holy Communion every Sunday, except the 2nd and 4th in the month. Military Service. - Rev. C. Gilbert Booth B.A., Military Chaplain. Parade Service at 8 A.M. Holy Communion on the secon and fourth Sundays at the conclusion of the Parade Service. [A Voluntary Service is held in the Garrison Theatre at 7.45

UNION CHURCH.—Soldiers' Service, 6:45 A.M. Morning Service, 11 A.M.-Rev. John Colville.-Divine Service in Chinese, 2-3 P.M. every Sunday, with communion on first had been considerably benefited by his stay Sunday of every month,-Rev. C. J. Edge. ST. PETER'S CHURCH, for SEAMEN, &c .-Rev. C. Gilbert Booth, B.A., Chapltin. Service at 6 P.M. Holy Communion after Service on the third Sunday in each month.

All the Seats are free. LONDON MISSION CHAPEL, Queen's Road The British steamer Rajanattianuhar re-West.-Hongkong Christian Association Experienced moderate monsoon to Cape Service for Seamen, Sunday and Thursday, Varella; thence N.W., South and S.E.

ST. STEPHEN'S MISSION CHURCH.—Rev. J. Grundy, and Rev. Lo Sam Yuen. (All Left Haiphong Aug. 15th at 1 p.m., Pakhoi Services in Chinese.) Morning Prayer :-Litany, Ante-Communion, and Sermon, at intends to go on leave soon for a short 17th at 6 p.m., and Hoihow 18th; arrived in Macao on 19th at 5 p.m., and left Macao 11 A.M. Bible Class, at 3 r.m. Preaching, on 20th at 9 a.m.; arrived in Hongkong at at 6.30 P.M. Holy Communion, 1st Sunday 1 p.m. same day. Had fresh S.E. winds in Chinese month. GERMAN BETHESDA CHAPEL -Service in

the German language, by Rev.-W. Louis, every Sunday, at half-past ten A.M., in the Chapel of the Berlin Foundling House, Per S. S. Zambesi, sailed 18th August :-To London: from Canton and Macao. St. Joseph's Church, Garden Road.-8 A.M. Mass and Sermon. 6 P.M. Evening 117,395 ths. Scented Caper, and 56,263 ths.

MEMOS. FOR MONDAY.

Service, Benediction.

Shipping. Goodsper Carnarronshire undelivered after this date subject to rent. Meetings. 5 p.m.-Meeting of Members of

Hongkong Humane Society at Chamber of Commerce Room. 6 p.m.-Meeting of Victoria Lodge.

General Memoranda. Tuesday, August 23:-Daylight.—Castello leaves for Shanghai.

2.30 p.m.-Meeting of Legislative Coun-4 p.m.-Esmeralda leaves for Manila.

THURSDAY, August 25 :-Noon,-French Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe. Noon.-Auction of Sundries at the Godowns of Mesers Jardine, Matheson & Co., Queen's Road Central.

SATURDAY, August 27 :--2 p.m.—Auction of Household Furniture, - &c., at the Cosmopolitan Club, No. 15A, Staunton Street.

Monday, August 29:-2 p.m.-Auction of Household Furniture. &c., at the residence of Dr Eastlacke, No. 14, Albany Road. Europe, vid Naples; to Saigon, Straits The Hongkong & Whampon Dock Co., have timely notice. Limited, at No. 14, Praya Central. India (vià Madras), the Australasian

> WEDNESDAY, August 31 :-3 p.m.—Occidental & Oriental S. S. Co.'s Steamer Oceanic leaves for Yokohama and San Francisco.

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香港大樂房 A. S. WATSON & Co., FAMILY & DISPENSING CHEMISTS WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DRUGGISTS,

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Water, Lemonade, Tonic Water Gingerade, Potass Water, Sarsaparilla continuous European Supervision. Hongkong, June 1, 1876.

sult the files of local, China, Japan, American, English, Indian or Austra- lunteers. lian newspapers, are invited to call at the CHINA MAIL" Office, where over sixty newspapers, dailies and weeklies. from these countries, are now filed for reference.

at 7.40 p.m.

The China Itlail.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, AUGUST 20, 1881

LOCAL AND GENERAL. The next AMERICAN MAIL may be looked for here, per O. & O. str. Oceanic, on the length of the tail is 5 millions of miles. or about the 22nd inst.

ORDER OF SERVICE AT THE CATHEDRAL TENTH SUNDAY, AFTER TRINITY. Matins :- Venite, Goodson No. 2; Psalms, Turner No. 115; Te Deum, Herbert in D; Benedictus, Macfarran 128 Anthem, Thou visitest the earth; Kyrie, Wesley M. S. Books | Hymn vensong :- Psalms, 118 Ouseley : Magnificat, 133 Walmisley; Nunc Dimittis

Ir has been decided to have the screw-sloop Sylvia repaired at Sheerness Dockyard, and brought forward for commission as a surveying ship in the China and Japan Sess .-Broad Arrow.

117 Alcock ; Hymn, 228 ; Hymn 210.

A LETTER from Bangkok, of date 11th August, received by the Rajanattianuhar. peans have succumbed thereto.

Canton, left this in the Sunda to-day for hands of the officiating agents. The Japan, on three months' leave of absence. case which has arisen out of the pro-We regret to learn that Mr Hewlett's ceedings regarding the Wai-sing is nearly health has of late been anything but satisfactory, and hope that his holiday in Japan | held in the Supreme Court, when the will restore his strength.

WE are informed that Major Rooke, R.A. mentioned, our correspondent promise to has received a private telegram announcing his promotion to the rank of Lieutenant Colonel. Lieutenant-Colonel Rooke will probably leave here early in the winter for | before the Police Magistrate here on the Malta, to which station we understand he is appointed.

Ir was stated in a Northern contemporary some days ago that Chief Justice French at Chefoo. We now regret to learn, from private sources, that His Lordship has been ordered to proceed Home. It is feared that the improvement in his health must have been only temporary, as the learned gentleman has, we believe, been ordered to leave for England at once.

WE hear that H. E. the Governor holiday,-Peking being, it is said, his destination. It is also stated that the Hon. M. S. Tonnochy will administer the Go- be the honest intention of the British Government, but, so far as we can learn, this is not generally believed to be officially prisoners, unless it can be reasonably asfixed. An acting Colonial Secretary does sured that no torture will be applied to not of necessity take the Governor's place in such a case; so that we merely give the foolish to permit extradition to be carried rumour for what it is worth.

We have to acknowledge receipt of "The Divine Classic of Nan-Hua; being the works of Chuang Taze, Taoist Philosopher." The translation is by Mr F. H. Balfour, who is now favourably known as an author, as well as translator of Chinese, by his graceful style. An Excursus and copious annotations accompany the translation. The book is well printed and got up by Messrs Kelly and Walsh of Shanghai. We shall give a fuller notice of Mr Balfour's last work later on.

THE following telegram has been received by H. E. the Governor from the Director of the Observatory at Manila. There are no indications here at present of typhoonish weather, the barometer being high, and we do not think we will be troubled by the un welcome visitor:-

"MANILA, Aug. 19, 11, 10 a.m. "A typhoon is raging in the E.S.E. Luzon, and it will probably pass over Manila. Its direction seems to be S.E. N.W. Although it is rather doubtful, send you this telegram before the gale 3.30 p.m.-Meeting of Shareholders of reaches this Island in order that you may

> Swarow seems to fall in but slowly into the old tradal grooves, a dispute between members of the Guild having put off the resumption of business at first for ten days, which was subsequently reduced to three. The desire on the part of the native merchants to make up for lost time will, it is to be hoped, lead to a more active business soon. That the Chinese traders should voluntarily abandon their chance of profits proves one of two things,-either that they had a real grievance, or that their dogged- Nepaul, which will take place early in ness is more marked than is generally sup-

A RIFLE match took place at Kowloon yesterday between two teams of eight Noncommissioned Officers each, represent ing the E. and F. Companies of the Ir may not generally be known that, with Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, resulting in a victory for the E. company by 16 points. It is to be hoped that these The Manufactory is under direct and matches may be more frequent than they have been, both in the Regiment stationed here and among the civilian marksmen of the Colony. It is by this means only that we PASSENGERS arriving in Hongkong, or any may hope to score a victory against our other persons who may desire to con- rival shots of the Model Settlement in the proposed match with the Shanghai Vo-

THE astronomers of Europe and America have so far failed to identify the comet of which there has been so much heard, of late, with any former one; but as will been seen from the article in Nature which The publication of this issue commenced we reprint in our fourth page, a quantity of information has been collected which should add a good deal to our knowledge of the heavens in general and the comets in particular. It will take some little time, however, to collect and digest the facts. was too good a joke to let pass, and The astronomers of the Washington Observatory reckon that the nucleus of this comet, which will doubtless receive a name of its own, is 700 miles in diameter; while

A MACAO correspondent informs us that the salt monopoly was knocked down on the advertised day of the auction for the sum of \$7,600. The price paid last year for the monopoly was \$10,500. It will thus be seen that the revenue of the Portuguese Colony is largely declining. It has not only lost to an abnormal extent by the Waising flasco, but these small things make it a greater loss. This is to be regretted, quantity to make a pill mass, which should because the only chance of Macao recover- be divided into pills each of five grains. ing her prestige is the improvement of her harbour, and with a much decreased ing and comiting come. I bring this revenue there is little probability of this remady to the notice of the public, capebeing effected. It would appear to an outsider, that the Imperial Government should make an effort to contribute as largely as may now and then be given with the pills. Sometimes one or two closes of chlorodyne, says that cholers is gradually disappearing possible to the construction and furtherance when given in the hist stage of the disease. from that place. Since the 6th of June of those highly desirable and necessary assist the action of the pile. Abstinance 1500 Siamose and Chinese have fallen vic- works; but in Lasbou, as in Downing times, and some hours after they have tims to this horrible disease, but no Euro- Street, the affairs of a small and far ceased, has been found to prevent a relapse distant Colday are able to stored only and hesten receivery

Mr. A. R. Hewlett, H. M. Consul at the smallest modicum of interest at the concluded. Yesterday proceedings were Delegado addressed his argument to the Court. The protest, which has been already send us a copy of as soon as possible.

> THE thirteen Chinamen who were charged, 30th November last, with the murder of three fellow-countrymen in the village of Sheung Yeung, and whose extradition was being arranged, are still in custody of the Hongkong authorities. It may be remembered that Mr Howlett, H. M.'s Consul at Canton, took up a very sensible position in regard to this matter of extradition, in the objection he raised to the value that should be attached to any formal guarantee given by the Chinese authorities to the effect that no torture would be permitted with respect to those prisoners. From the fact That eight months have passed, and these men are still in custody at Hongkong, it may be presumed that this important matter is engaging the attention of the Home authorities. We cannot but admit that, if it vernment to decline to give up Chinese such prisoners, it would be exceedingly on upon a formal guarantee which means nothing. Whatever differences may exist between English and Chinese practice, it is perfectly well known that the Vicercy has no power to reverse the Chinese law. And it would be as reasonable to expect the Canton Consul to be able to give effect to a guarantee that an extradited murderer would not be hung, if found guilty in this Colony, as to imagine that the Viceroy of Kwangtung could prevent the law of torture from taking its course. Most of the other Treaty Powers consider that this is a matter more for the Chinese to settle than for anyone else, and that the principle of extraterritoriality covers all the ground necessary for their purposes. England, however, scems to go a step farther than this; and, except that it may raise difficulties as to reciprocity in extradition cases, reason as well as humanity can be quoted in favour of this action. In regard to the thirteen men, however, who are now the objects of Imperial regard, it seems to us that the proof of their guilt required by the Treaty is very defective; and, upon this point alone, it would, we think, be a dangerous proceeding for Governor Hennessy to give up the thirteen so-called murderers the Chinese authorities. Apart from the question of Torture, we think that these men should not be given up until their guilt be shown more clearly than it has yet been. But the question of what we are to do with such refugees, if Chinese make a habit of escaping to this Island, opens a wider field of discussion than we are at present prepared to enter upon

Ar the coronation of the boy-King of November next, embassies from Lhassa and China, and Chinese troops to the number, it is said; of 14,000, will assemble in the Valley of Katmandu. Two thousand elephants are being trained for the "tumasha," and several lakhs of rupees will be expend-

ed in feasting the Brahmins, the consent of the Persian Government. Russian telegraph officers are now stationed at Astrabad, Teheran, and Tabriz, and that the wires are at their disposal for certain hours every day. Lately, however, it was eported that the Russian telegraph officers in Persia had been ordered to hold themselves in readiness to leave the country.

and to return to Russia.

"Is that a yacht?" we inquired of a long. gaunt codder who was lounging about the wharf, and we pointed to a small steam vessel coming in. "No," was the reply "Is that a yacht?" we inquired again, pointing to another sort of craft that we thought might be a yacht. "No. that ain't no yot, nuther." was the answer. "Well, what is a yacht?" was our next inquiry. "What's a yot?" said the fisherman. "Well you gets any sort of craft you please, and fill her up with liquor and seeg-yers, and git yer friens on board and have a hell of a time-and that a a yot " The above appears in the Temperance Union. It is rather a good story in its way, but we did not expect to come across such language in a paper which is conducted on Sunday school book principles. Perhaps the Editorial Committee thought it published it as a his at a certain yachting party of Good Templars who capsized in the river a short time ago. Shanghai Mercury

This is the latest specific for cholers :---

Mr Shamshudin J. Suleman, the Civil Medical Officer, Baroda State, gives to the world a new and inexpensive remedy for cholers. In a letter to a Bombay contempor rary he says :- "As cholers has been prevalent here this season, it may be useful to make known that among other remedies tried by me, pills of black pepper and the root bark of Calotropis Gigantes, called Ankda in Gujarati, have, after a fair trial been found efficacious. They are prepared as follows -- Fresh back of the root of Calotropis Gigantea should be well pounded. so as to have no fibres, and mixed with an equal weight of finely powdered black Dose for all adult is two to three pills. which should be given every hour till purk cially as it is very cheep, efficacious, and of such a nature that it may be trusted in the hands of ignorant persons. Stimulants

#### INQUEST.

pore Auction Gazette.

An adjourned inquest on the body of Chong Tin Chong, a Chinese female, aged about 35, was held at the Magistracy, at 3 p.m. to-day, before H. E. Wodehouse, Esq., and the Jury empanelled for the case son the 17th inst. Mr MacCallum, government analyst, gave evidence to the effect that the contents of the stomach of deceased had been handed over to him for analysis. The amount of morphine in the stomach he and that night slept in the house of a friend. I from the Ordinance, in which it was laid considered to be over and above the quan- With regard to the taking of the box, his down that the Magistrate had power to tity required to cause death. The actual wife, when she left him, had taken away all confiscate any raw Opium which was kept amount which caused death would be ab- the articles of furniture, food, and clothing, for the purpose of preparing and selling. sorbed and what was found in the stomach all his wearing apparel, and some of his would be what was left after death had linen, as also some articles he had got from ensued. Four grains of crude opium were Mr Cassumbhov, also two or three pairs sufficient to cause death, but of opium dross of white trousers. She had afterwards the dose was uncertain. The only remedy gone and taken away the small box. He for an overdose of opinm was to remove it was rather doubtful of going to the house from the stomach as soon as possible, by himself, and so he asked if second defendant

the 15th instant, he was told that deceased he wished to remove the small box, but house, where he saw deceased lying on the screaming. He said if she did not be quiet hed, apparently dying. Several people he would not only take the small box but were trying to save her by giving her the large one. An Indian Constable came about 9 o'clock she died. Witness went | to remove the boxes. The boxes ultimately and deceased taken to the Hospital. Wit- with the matter. In Pottinger Street he

ceased had died, and found a pot of opium her chair as far as the Hotel de l'Univers. of whom carried a torch, rushed into the dross in the room which had been occupied He next saw her beyond the Dock-yard by deceased. He had made enquiries, but gate, where she was violently abusing the could find no reason why deceased should second defendant. The boxes were taken have taken opium.

The ury returned a verdict of felo de se. the Coroner.

> Police Intelligence. (Before Frederick Stewart, Esq.) Saturday, August 20.

ALLEGED ASSAULT. The case in which Joseph James M'Breen clerk, and George Blake, staff sergeant, were charged, the former with assaulting his wife, and the latter with aiding and abetting therein, was finished this afternoon.

Mr Mossop, who again appeared for the complainant, applied that all witnesses leave the Court. His Worship drew attention to the fact.

that the second defendant had nothing to do with the assault said to be made on 7th instant.

First defendant stated that the boxes were his property, and the Magistrate said that as the husband of plaintiff he could not deny that, whereupon Mr Mosson observed that if the boxes were not returned the case would not end in this Caurt.

Eurther evidence was then called C. A. Paterson, P.C. 20, said he went down to Pottinger Street having heard a noise there. He saw the complainant get ! out of a chair and try to prevent the coolies from taking the boxes away. First defeadant took hold of complainant's arms. Witness told him to let go and he did so. First defendant seemed to be stopping her from preventing the coolies taking the

By second defendant :—Witness did not hear him say anything to the first defendant.

This closed the case for the prosecution. The first defendant wished to call Mr Parker to explain about the means he took to come to an arrangement.

Mr Mossop said he would object to that. Carl Siemund said he saw first defendant and his wife on the night of the 7th about 9 o'clock. He heard a dreadful noise as though somebody's throat had (Before H. E. Wodehouse, Esq., Police been cut. He went half way down stairs. The noise was simply disgraceful. The voice was a woman's. The woman was howling like a manlac. The first defendant was sitting as quiet as could be smoking his pipe. Witness asked him stealing some Chinese medicine, value about what was the matter, and whether she was 40 cents, from a druggist's shop, in Queen's drunk. He said no. The screaming was Road, on the 19th instant, and was sensaid there had been no fighting whatever. hours at the scene of the offence. The noise was most disgraceful, and latterly he went to the Police Station to see if he could get a policeman. She tried to incite him to strike her.

Mr Mossop :—Be careful. then (meanific that he was sober). Com- another place. plainant had a couple of youngsters sitting howling in company with her, and the seven days' imprisonment, noise was dreadful. On the morning of the 8th, the yelling by complainant commenced again. Witness did not see complainant throw snything at first defendant. By Mr Mosson :- Complainant did try

my. and his wife. The was pulling and hauling day, and yesterday was given over to feast but, if that fails, what will the next step books containing the evidence of Captain travelling for that purpose about the colony, guests would have had some difficulty in him about. It seemed to him that it was ing and rejoicing with the friends of both be

Mr Mossop objected to any evidence of

The Magistrate admitted the evidence. Witness :- About 11 o'clock that nighthe stopping next door to first defendant. -heard Mrs M'Breen calling her husband very filthy names. (Witness, at Mr Mossop's request, repeated one or two of them). He heard first defendant say keep quiet. This intruders. continued for two or three minutes.

By Mr Mossop :- Witness would not give his opinion as to whether it was surprising. that if complainant had been assaulted at 9 o'clock, she should have been abusing him at 11 o'clock. Mr Mossop: I think you said something

Witness: I think you have made a mis-Mr Mossop: Perhaps I have; you may

Witness: No I won't. Mr Mosson: Be careful; you are in a Court of Justice.

thanked him for his advice.

very delicate duty to perform, and Mr coolies in the house and there appeared to have relating to marriage and divorce are broilments for our mercantile firms in Can-Adams should answer the question properly. have been a general free fight among them. very oppressive to the weaker sex. No ton, and these have been avoided by fixing This witness then did. Subject to Mr Mosson's objection, complaimant was examined by her husband.

Mrs M'Breen, on being shown a ring,

said it did not belong to her husband. was the ring she had taken out of pawn. in defence. Complainant on the afternoon of the day in question asked him to go to Opium, which was confiscated, retained till Happy Valley. They went there; and when there complainant threw herself down upon a grave. He remained there for two

hours, but she would not come away: The Magistrate: Was the deceased any keeping. The Magistrate, after making First defendant said he did not know. Opium had been returned to the Opium He found four ounces of semi-liquid matter | Shesaid it was her late husband. Directly she | Farmer. Mr Mossop noted that the charge containing 15 74 grains of opium dross, in come she assaulted him violently, and was for having prepared Opium in his poswhich was found a quantity of morphine. kept up such a disagreeble row that he left session, but His Worship read an extract

means of a stomach pump, or strong eme- | would kindly go, with high. Prior to this he had asked the Captain Superintendent Ho Atim, assistant compradore at Messrs of Police to send a policeman with him for Jardine. Matheson & Co.'s, stated that his protection, but he said he could not do at about eight o'clock on the evening of this. When first defendant arrived there had taken opinin, and he then went to the she sat down on the top of it and began duck's blood and other medicines, but at and first defendant asked him to get coolies with the husband of deceased to the Tung | were taken to the Central Station. The Wah Hospital, whence a coffin was sent Inspector there would have nothing to do ness afterward made a report at the Central | asked the second defendant to take charge of the boxes. He held his wife, who was Police Constable Tong Ashing had made | screaming police. When the constable an examination of the house in which de- came he let go and walked by the side of

away solely under his superintendence. The second defendant said he would like and expressed an opinion that the husband to say a few words about an assertion made of deceased should be censured for not by Mr Mossop in his opening speech, which found, and at once identified. taking proper precautions to save the life | seriously affected his character as a military of his wife by getting medical aid, and this man. He referred to the statement that decision was explained to the husband by the first defendant had lived with him. As 6 to 1. he had only one room, and he was a married man, this would not have been decent,

and beside he was not allowed to keep The Magistrate said he was sure that Mr Mossop would do nothing which was not proper. Of course Mr Mossop was acting under instructions, which was quite a dif ferent thing from what Mr Mossop might do individually. It was a delicate matter. and he was bound to say that Mr Mossop

had conducted the case very properly. Mr Mossop said that he did not think that the complainant meant to infer that first defendant lived in the same room with the Sergeant.

Mr Mossop then addressed his Worship on the case. He thought it was a mos imprudent thing on the part of a Staff Sergeant—a man who ought to have known better—to go into his client's private room and aid in taking away these boxes. He had no hesitation in saying that the evidence of the complainant did not support the assertion that first defendant had lived with the Serveent:

The Magistrate said as far as the Sergean was concerned the summons was dismissed His Worship was sorry he had got into this disagreeable affair. If he had known then whathe knew now, probably he would never have been mixed up in it. With regard to the assault on the 7th, the evidence given to-day had put a very different complexion upon it. Besides, the corrections made upon her own evidence had led him to doubt the complainant's truthfulness. Although there was much in the case which should not have been, yet he could not say that the assault had been proved against the first defendant. Mr Seimundhadsaidthat, though complainant was screaming like a maniac, the husband was calmly smoking his pipe. Altogether he could not convict the first defendant of the assault; and therefore the summons would be discharged.

Magistrate.)

LARCENY OF PHYSIC. Li a Fai, 20, coolie, was convicted of

A LAZY WATCHMAN.

Young a Wun, a watchman in the employ of a gentleman residing at Morrison Witness: There is no careful about it. Hill, was charged by John Lyons, P.C. No.

The establishment of tramways, in the town in carnest. It was about \$25. This wit bride and bridegroom. In the midst of the of Singapore, will no doubt be a benefit to ness did not understand. Witness then revelry the two defendants entered the the inhabitants of every class. Messrs. left in disgust, as he did not think such house, walked into the sitting room, and asked for Aho. They were politely told that there was no such lady in the house. and invited to retire. This, however they refused to do, saying they intended to search the house, as Aho must be there and they would stay and see the bride Upon this the bridegroom cast off his bridal attire and started for the Police Station. returning with a Sergeant who arrested the

In defence the first prisoner stated that about a month ago a woman named Aho borrowed \$25 from him and told him to come to No. 6. Gutzlaff Street, on the 14th August, for payment. Second defendant went with him to the house, and they meant no harm.

Complainant stated that he did not wan the defendants to be punished, but he did not like them to stay in his house uninvited. Prisoners were discharged.

Wong Hang, a coal-coolie, was fined two dollars, with the alternative of seven days' Witness: I think you had better be imprisonment with hard labour, and three widows and orphans who claim our protect the British Government of that day, to Mr Mossop again cautioned witness, who a fellow workman named Tang Awing, plaints," proves more that the existing laws and head centre of the commerce of China and striking him on the head with a The Magistrate said Mr Mossop had a pillow box. There were several other

In the case before the Court vesterday, in which Tai Asam was convicted breach of the Opium Ordinance, and in which some \$600 worth of raw Opium was First defendant then made a statement confiscated to the Opium farmer, Mr Mossov applied to the Magistrate to have the law Monday, when he would formally apply to have it returned to Lan Tak, the man to whom the Opium actually belonged. It was only left in Tai Asam's charge for safe enquiries, informed Mr. Mossop that the

> SUPREME COURT. IN CRIMINAL SESSIONS. Before His Honor the Acting Paisae Judge,

> > J. Russell, Esq.)

Saturday, Aug. 20. The Criminal Sessions were resumed this norning before a jury consisting of Messra ohn Kennedy, J. F. Mardfeldt, T. Kerr,

. B. de-Roza, A. M. de Roza Pereira,

G. Stainfield and Oscar Noodt. · BURGLARY. Lau Asing was charged with feloniously

and burglariously entering a house at Yau-ma-ti on the night of the 1st July. Prisoner pled not guilty. Mr Mackean, who prosecuted, said that on the night in question, the prosecutor and his wife were sleeping in their house when they were rudely awakened by the door being burst open, and three or foun men armed with bamboo spears, and one room, stole the woman's bangles and took a quantity of other articles from the house. The complainant had cut one of the robbers on the head with a chopper, and next day, in company with the police, complainant

went to a house where defendant was Evidence was heard, and the jury returned a verdict of guilty by a majority of

Sentence reserved.

THEFT OF MONEY. were charged with stealing certain monies on the 27th of July,

Prisoner pled not guilty. she and the prosecutor got into a dispute, ing a sum of money. First defendant after carrying it a little way handed it over to intelligence and foresight-alone. drawer were found.

After evidence had been heard The jury returned a verdict of not guilty. Sentences will be passed on Tuesday.

China.

Androklos and Papa loading for Amoy.

Amov during the past fortnight :--

commencing in Amov.

Takao for Yokohama, Occident.

(Mail, Aug. 6.)

LAWS CONCERNING HINDOO WOMEN.

ment of Asiatics, when the ruling power seeks to preserve as far as possible the social customs of the native race, are sometimes of a peculiarly delicate nature. In India this truth is daily brought to the notice of all thinking men; and in Hongkong troublesome experiences in this connection. Touching this subject the following remarks from the Overland Mail are not inappropriate:---

Quarterly Review for immediate reform in trade, until the yearly amount represented the laws respecting the inheritance and by it does not fall short of six millions rights over property of Hindoo women, re- sterling. With this large amount of trade, marriage of Hindoo widows, and other however, its affairs are managed by cognate subjects. That some reforms are Governor and a small number of officials urgently called for may be readily conced- for somewhere about two hundred thousand ed. though the fact of many appeals being pounds sterling a year. brought home to the Privy Council "by It was a happy inspiration that induced hours'exposure in the stocks, for assaulting tion, and require us to answer their com- select this insignificant island as the seat are ill-understood or unsatisfactorily ad- waters. The jealousies of the Chinese had ministered than that they need reform. The been a constant source of difficulty and emamount of barbarous treatment avails to on this as a little Gibraltar to guard and liscretion of the judge." But, in considering the degrading con- for everything indigenous.

may be seen one or two poor women who statement has special application.

VALUABLE TESTIMONY

Skovmand, from Newchwang, reports the to horrifying misery which the Hon. A. E. Konnedy alleviated from his own resources. price of opium. Booth, arrived to-day (5th) from Light- whom he lifted in his own arms from of inspection of the seaboard defences of dared, and the blessings which he evoked amount of employment to the Chinese po- ing its portals attracts the attention of all this province. Active preparation for this and earned by the benefactions which he pulation. The world-famed ingenuity of passers by. Many of the groups exhibited visit are being made by the Military and dispensed. Since then he has sustained the Chinese would naturally lead one to have previously been shown at Brussels; Naval forces at Amoy and in the neigh- many risks in the performance of his duties expect that wherever any extensive settle- the majority, however, have been introby sea and land. Saved by a propitiated ment of them was to be found, there certain | duced with a due regard to the French taste The following vessels were chartered at Providence, he has passed through the trades and manufactures would be sure to for amusement, and if some of the speciperils of shipwreck unharmed, and borne flourish. It is so in Hongkong, for not mens rely rather too much on broad humour Decident, 6,000 piculs, Takao to Yoko- the deadly climate of Sierra Leone with only are there workers in bamboos, carvers, than artistic merit, they are not the less hama, 20 lay days, 30 cents per picul of impunity, and prosperity and peace have boat builders, gold beaters, watch manu-likely to charm and please the 'arisian Oscar Mooyer, 8,700 piculs, monthly to the Crown and his ability to serve the are also glass manufacturers and engineers, Royal groups of waxen kings and queens, charter 3 to 5 months at \$900 per month, interests of British settlements were deman-August Friedrich; 9,500 piculs, monthly his unwavering fidelity to his guiding pring glass equal in many respects to the produce As portraits the figures are scarcely so charter 9 to 12 months at \$1,125 per month. ciple was shown, and, aware of the course of Europe. Vessels loading at Taiwanfoo for Tien- of his public life since the beginning, we something about \$25. First defendant tenced to be confined in the stocks for six tsin, Hermann and Benedicta; expected at hail with gratification occasions on which its tenor and teachings can be recalled to slow to take advantage of Western im- uniforms is decidedly effective. A humorinspire others to go and do likewise. Exclusive of the well-being of colonists, the number of tailors in the Colony, most Fraternite," in which the first portion of taxpaving subjects in these realms are of whom work with English and American the Republican motto is replaced by a board sensibly affected, as observed, by the sewing machines, number 1857. These bearing the words "Liberte manque," may conduct of colonial Governors, who, unable tailors, it appears, carry on an extensive possibly arouse the susceptibilities of some The Japanese authorities have a very to conciliate the confidence of natives, in-She said, "You like flog me." Witness 3, with being salesp on duty on the 20th troublesome question to face this summer voluntarily provoke revolt, or who, as in made clothes, they buy largely of English peased by a caricature model of the was quite certain about the words. When instant. The constable found defendant in Riukiu. It is the custom there to disin- Africa, would subjugate native independ. drill, and with their machines make clothes adventurer of Boulogne in seedy garments, he went downstairs he found a European seleep in a bamboo chair at the entrance of ter and wash the skeletons of the dead on ence without counting the cost of the blood Constable looking in at the window; he his employer's house, and woke him up, but the third anniversary of the decease; a and treasure which mildness, benevolence, and Australia. In this way it will be seen shoulder, and the traditional piece of bacon went to the Station. Witness said first a short time after he found him again harmless habit enough in ordinary times, and firmness would gain over with a perdefendant was as drunk now as he was asleep in the chair, which he had moved to but one that may entail unpleasant con- manency that arms could not assure. Had sequences when, as in the present case. Mr Gladstone the revenue at his disposal He was fined \$2, with the alternative of the graves contain victims of a cholera which he has had to sacrifice in the epidemic. Yet to forbid the thing by liquidation of the mass and multitude of edict would have pretty much the same obligations entailed by the Lyttons, Freres. effect as to make waking corpses a criminal and others in Asia and Africa, the Premier act in Ireland. Rinkin was well nigh would be only too glad of the means which Kwan a Un, a trader, and Kwan Fung decimated by the cholera in 1879, and if would justify the extinction of the income

Poor Laws in 1847, and we may promise the First Minister that he will find material The difficulties met with in the govern- | which, hurled from his hand, must prostrate the most defiant of his antagonists and the irish people's moreover."

A'COMMERCIAL GIBRALTAR. (Ceylon Times, July 27.) Off the extreme south coast of China. close to the entrance of the Canton river is situated the small island of Hongkong, our rulers have not been without their not more than seven miles in length and about two in breadth, with a population. though largely increased of late years, not numbering at the present time much more than the population of Colombo. So conveniently situated, however, is it for gathering together the threads of Chinese and An earnest plea is put forward by a British commerce, that from small beginwriter in the current number of the London | nings it has rapidly\_advanced in its foreign

grant legal separation for the wife from her | keep together as much of the commerce as tyrant, while the husband may semi-divorce | could be gathered from different directions, or desert his slave on any plausible pre- The history of the rise and progress of tence. The bondage to which the rights of i Hongkong illustrates very aptly the excel-

many evils, and stop a large percentage | The statement to which we allude had re- into the ennui à mourir. of infanticides. That the legal sanction of | ference to the census which had just been

little to alleviate the misery caused to the quarters of dollars, whilst the value of pro- was not the right man, and she, with sweet | Japanese courts themselves are concerned living by such degrading infatuations as perties bought by the Chinese from the bluntness, at once complained. Her it would seem that a law punishing false Government was only seventeen thousand courteous host recognised the mistake, and witnesses with long term of imprisonment, dollars, and the total value of properties | bade her come round the table to her pro- and directing the judge to order a prosecu-From the Munster News of 16th April we two hundred and twenty thousand dollars. sat still, Simon Pure over the way did the there has been such false evidence, would make the following extract, which doubtless | The large transfer of valuable properties to same, apparently in dazed surprise, and the seem to meet the case. will interest many of our readers :-- "From | Chinese is accompanied by the fact that of | poor lady had to make the journey alone. | The present attitude of the Japanese time to time we have had the pleasure of the increase of the population in five years Her seat reached, her neighbour, for whose authorities towards foreign Consular Courts adverting to the early relations of one of of twenty-one thousand, twenty thousand society she had done so much, turned is such that it would be almost useless to the colonial Governors, the Hon. A. E. had been Chinese. During the same period round and observed, "Do you know who lask them to extend a law of this kind to Kennedy, with this district of his birth the large wealthy native firms who deal that was that took you down?" She pro- evidence given by Japanese witnesses in land, in the period of the fearful famine largely in European imports for shipment fessed an indifferent ignorance. "That foreign courts; and it is doubtful whether, trial in Clare, and the verification of the to various ports of China, had increased was the Prime Minister!" impressions we then expressed of the high- from two hundred and fifty to three Judge-, not many years since an asso- could ever be made to apply to false witness minded and gallant gentleman's fulfilment hundred and ninety-five. The ordinary ciate justice of the Boston District Court, given by a British subject in a Japanese Tse Ayun, Lok Akwong and Chan A-Ng of the public trusts which he may be appoin. Chinese retail traders had during the same was an official to whom decisions did not court. Another point that might well be ted to undertake. All these were import- period increased very nearly ten-fold, the come easily. He once told the counsel in a ascertained is, whether foreigners commitand properties from Choi Po, a fruit dealer ant, and the succession was signally distin- numbers having been 287 which are now case before him that he should have no ting perjury in a foreign court, other than guished by perfect concord between the 2,377. Chinese brokers had increased from trouble in deciding their suit if they had that of their own country, can be indicted supreme ruler and the ruled, by whom | 142 to 4 5. The shroffs had increased not persisted in introducing testimony on in their own court for that offence. Mr Mackean said the circumstances of willing submission was given to the trom 40 to 208, and Chinese Bankers, both sides. On one occasion an action was In truth, the whole position is anomalous. the case were very simple. Prosecutor was severeign's sway, and the peace and pros. who did not exist five years ago, new mm- brought in his court involving the owner- Cases are decided every day in British a fruit seller, and on the day in question perity enjoyed which may indeed have been ber 55, whilst the dealers in cotton goods ship of a dog, which an officer held by a courts here on evidence that would not be while selling fruit to the third defendant, said to be due in part to Governor Kennedy's | which in 1876 were 110 are now 167. This, chain in court. After the plaintiff and listened to in an English court at home; who was the wife of the second defendant. good fortune, but assuredly wanted no support as the Governor remarks in his statement, is defendant had introduced equally strong while cases in Japanese courts involving that wisdom, humanity, and foresight could of interest not merely to Manchester, Brad- evidence in support of their respective the property or rights of a British subject, and during this the first defendant took the lend. 'Nullum numen abest si sit prudentia.' ford or Leeds; these Chinese merchants of claims, he was, as usual, much puzzled, and may be decided on the evidence of a witopportunity of stealing his drawer contain. So true it is that luck is accredited to Hongkong are now facilitating an Indian told the counsel that he should decide the ness who has taken neither oath nor affirsuccesses which are the accessories of high trade with China, healthier and with a safer case in his own way, entirely outside of the mation, and who has no dread of punishfuture than the trade in that drug which a testimony, "Mr Plaintiff," said he, "you ment in case of bearing false witness. the second defendant. Shortly afterwards | "Amongst our foreign far-away contem- few years ago was the only considerable may stand in that corner of the court-room; prosecutor missed the drawer and the poraries with whose broadsheets we are commercial link between British India and and you, Mr Defendant, may stand in that money, and gave information to the police, regularly or frequently complimented is a China. In five years the quantity of Bom- corner. Now I want you to whistle when who arrested the prisoner, in the house of copy of the Queensland journal, the Brisbane bay yarn received in Hongkong has steadily I give the word. Mr Officer, you hold the the second defendant; where certain peculiar Courier, in which, apropos to the land code risen from 21,000 bales to 61,000. The dog in the centre of the room. Now, both coins which had been in the prosecutor's of Ireland, and in anticipation of Mr increase in the value of this branch of trade of you whistle. Mr Officer, release the Gladstone's bill, there are reminiscences of has risen from less than one million and dog." The door being open, the dog his excellency Governor Kennedy when, in three quarters of dollars five years ago, to ignored both plaintiff and defendant, bolted discharge of his deeply responsible office in five millions and a quarter of dollars. out of the court, and disappeared. "Enter Clare, he dispensed to evicted tenants relief | Whilst, curiously enough, China which | neither party, Mr Clerk," said the judge, which the law failed to reach, and engaged formerly exported catton in large quantities at once relieved of all embarrassment. the interest of philanthropical Englishmen, is now a customer for the raw Indian pro- To the many attractions which Paris amongst whom were the Hon, and Rev. duct to the extent of 80,000 bales. The boasts, has now been added a waxwork show Sydney Godolphin Osborne, and Mr Poullet trade in opium during the same period has on the model of the far-famed establish-Scrope, M.P., in behalf of the unhoused slightly decreased although the trade in ment in Baker Street, and, as Parisians and the destitute occupiers whom the law other goods than opium though large in rarely do things by halves, another exhibi-The German brig Secumphe, Captain P. left to perish. We could bear testimony quantity is actually only one sixth in value | tion of a similar nature is promised, to be of the trade with India owing to the great opened as soon as the necessary arrange-The Revenue Cruiser Fei Hoo, Captain the piteous state of the emaciated victims | Naturally Hongkong has no agriculture figures now thrown open to the public to speak of, and certainly no agricultural rejoices in the catching title of "The ditches and rescued from famine fever and produce to enter into its trade, but it has Eden Gallery," and is to be found in the It is rumoured that the Vicercy of Fuh- Asiatic plague, the unceasing danger of life | nevertheless a number of rather important | Fanbourg Poissonniers, where the huge kien is expected here next month on a tour and the breakdown of health which he manufactures which afford a considerable mounted waxen effigy of a Krumir guard-

> arisen and remained wherever his devotion facturers, sail and rope makers, but there public. Of course, we are shown the usual and it is stated that the glass manufactories | while recent events are portrayed in the ded. Wherever, too, were his countrymen, in Hongkong are capable of turning out wedding of the Crown Prince of Austria. trade with the Southern Colonies in ready- visitors; but these will doubtless be apthat Chinese cheap labour, against which in his hand. The present Popo is exhibited such a loud outery has been raised, can in his "prison" of white gauge, with gilded successfully compete with Australian and bars, and an excellent waxen representation

and especially their inedical men, and it is a situated in the basement, and dimly lighted Altentower. fact highly creditable to their appreciation with an oil lamp, contains, it addition to a Glenfruin. of medical soichce as practised in the west, model of Marshal Basalne, enough matter to incite defendant to flog her. The words tempting to extort the sum of \$25 from Lai will be fresh hecatombs of victims. It is a which industry and income are weighted to an extent hot only unknown in other terrible sights, ranging from an awfully the State altogether subscript to popular tion that awaits him in the House of ComLespector Adams said he was in first de Complainant was en leave from his ship prejudices. The Japanese Government has mons on his Land. Bill went testimony to found without the marks of vaccination on The Lord Mayor has entertained the re-August On that day he was in first de- rented No. 6, Gutziaf Street for the auspi- and there to dissuade the people from ob- redical land reforms, he need but walk into that for some years past the Chinese doc- gathering was a tolerably successful one, Adam M. Simpson ferdant's house. He was there seeing him cious occasion. He was married on Thurs serving the distance of the House, open the blue tors have not only vaccinated extensively, and fairly representative, though many Tecunisch.

leaving their own country.

bouring provinces.

but to simply hold the balance evenly be- scullion in his kitchen. twoen all men. And that is what I have done. Coming here with a few years' experience, at the other side of the China Sea. of the Government of a Chinese community, very soon after my arrival was waited on by some Chinese gentlemen of Hongkong, who frankly told me their position in the Colony. They pointed out to me that there were certain restrictions, some laid unon them, others attempted to be laid upon them, to which they objected, and they asked me. at all events, to assist them to this extent, not to allow undue or unfair restrictions to be laid on the Chinese, but to give them that same equality and fair play that they thought they were entitled to with all other subjects of the Queen." This, as the Governor explained, he had done and should continue to do.

LONDON GOSSIP. murderer of Mr Gold on the Brighton Rail- our Consular tribunals what is usually the father and husband reduce the women | lent results springing from complete free- way, has caused an important full in public | called "warning" is nothing but a reabolishes at once all suits of dowries, dom of commerce—there being no sea cus- excitement, which, considering the tropical quest to the witness to tell the court what divorces, jointures, and settlements. The toms whatever; and it also demonstrates character of the weather, is decidedly for the knows of the case; sometimes he is regulations of inheritance by widows are the true wisdom of that policy which, the public good. There was a final outburst told to speak the truth, or to tell. "all the extremely complicated, and often very cruel especially under the administration of its of pent-up rage on the part of the crowd particulars;" but there is nothing like a in their action. Again, a work of autho- present Governor, Sir John Pope Henessoy, that watched his progress when, being "warning." He is not threatened with rity, quoted by the writer, says: "The has been steadily pursued towards the na- brought from his obscure lodging in Step- punishment of any kind in case of false laws of the Hindoos which apply to pro- | tive population. Much unfriendly criticism | ney, he was conducted by the authorities | witness; no higher power is invoked to perty, and regulate sales or purchases, of this Governor's administration has ap- from Westminster to Victoria Station; and add solemnity to what he is about to say loans, transfer and deposit of goods, though | peared from time to time, so much so that | during the journey to Lewes there were not | nor do his statements differ in the remotest they are founded on the principles of just readers at a distance, unacquainted with all a few on-lookers who showed themselves degree from those he makes every day in tice, are frequently rude or loosely express. | the facts, would argue that Sir John was a | anxious to drag him from the train and to | the streets to his acquaintances. | All the and such, as along with a corrupt rash, uncompromising Governor, opposed give effect to the extreme penalty of the sanctions and penalties, divine and human, udicature, must leave everything to the to the true interests of British commerce, law with their own hands. Apart alto- which render an oath sacred are totally and actuated only by a sickly sentimentality gether from the indignation which his deed | wanting. We doubt whether there is any arouses, it would not be wonderful if the legal punishment in Japan-for false witness. dition of Hindoo women, too much of the | The perusal of a statement submitted by sight of a criminal coolly smoking eigarettes | certainly we have never heard of a case of blame must not be laid upon the law. Un- the Governor of Hongkong to his Legisla- while retracing his dire footsteps of less such punishment being inflicted. This is a written codes and usages are more in fault | tive Conneil in June last, has shown us the | than a fortnight before—and these luxuries | subject deserving of some attention, more than the statute. The true oppression comes | wisdom of the policy hitherto pursued and | the gift of the police who escorted him- | especially if foreigners ever come under from the influence of sacerdotalism ruling the excellent results that have flowed from should impress the public with the cold- Japanese criminal jurisdiction, however through the superstitions of an ignorant it. This document has been furnished to blooded character of his crime. This new limited. populace. It is well known that the pro- us by the Hon. Mr Burnside who received feature of regaling criminals on their way | The injustice to a foreign defendant, or dibition of re-marriage, which has long it from Sir John, with whom he has had a to the tribunal has not been commented on indeed plaintiff, in these cases is obvious. been the first article of a Hindoo woman's long acquaintance, and under whom he by the papers, but if such originality on He, unless the is charged with some crime, faith, had no authority from ancient reserved as Attorney General and in the the part of the police is encouraged by and his foreign witnesses are bound by a cords; and now that re-marriage has been Executive Council, in another colony. It silence, there is a danger of still more solemn eath to speak the truth, while logalised, the custom is prevented from be- is, we believe, probable that Sir John will startling innovations; and pefore long the an indictment for perjury is held like coming general partly by the priests and pay Ceylon a visit on his way to England, "professionals" will look forward, as a part Damocles' sword over their heads in case partly by the intense conservatism of the and it is not beyond the region of possibi- of their reward for crime, to their Sodas of falsehood; but the Japanese witnesses people themselves, though it would remedy lities that he may some day rule over us. and B. and a pack of cards to while them and they are generally Japanese in most

ments can be made. The show of wax satisfactory as those of the London ex-That Chinese artisans, when left to them- hibition; but the tout ensemble of Royal selves under British administration, are not robes, fashionable dresses, and bespangled provements, is evident by the fact that our group, entitled "Liberte, Egalite of that are exported largely to New Zoaland having a lean, hungry-looking eagle on his Euglish manufacturers of clothes without of the two priests in the popular sketch. "Une Bonno Histoiro," is also full of The Chinese too have their professions qualit humour. The chumber of horrors,

Sun; a bricklayer, were charged with at this disentembing business begins, there tax, and the repeal of other imposts by that amongst them voccination is practised to satisfy the most morbid craving for Lothair. were You wanchee flog my; You like flog Atai, a cook employed on board a German dangerous matter to make the functions of down. Should the Premier in the content countries, but unknown amongst English realistic public execution to a faithful re- Bellerophon (s.) fendant's house on the evening of the 7th for the purpose of getting married, and had resorted to the plan of sending officials here confound and crush the adversaries of its arm, and it is now a well-ascertained fact presentatives of Literature to dinner. The Ringleader.

vaccinate all whom they meet in the neight Lord Lytton was one of the principal speakers. Among the guests were two The following remarks made by Sir John warrior-like gentlemen, with breasts blazing upon his care for native interests may for with medals (one of them had as many as the present close our remarks on this in- thir cen), and with the red ribband of an teresting document. He says: "I will order round each of their necks. They take this opportunity of saying a few words turned out to be no other than Mr Archiupon a subject which has, no doubt, some- bald Forbes and Mr Kingston, the war cortimes attracted attention, and that is the respondents. Mr Forbes made one of the allegation made that during the four years | speeches in reply to the toast of Journalism, of my Government of this Colony, I have and took the opportunity of paying off an too much encouraged the Chinese. Now, old grudge against Lord Lytton by declarbelieve that the duty of a Governor in ing that, in the exercise of his duties, the dealing with a community such as I find war correspondent had his motives attacked here, is to avoid what is popularly called and his veracity impugned by all officialencouragement of any body, or of any class, | dom from the Vicercy down to the meanest.

> JAPANESE WITNESSES. (Japan Gazette.) Much amusement was recently caused at

ne of the police courts of Newcastle-on-

yne by the process of what is called taking a Chinese oath." A sailor on ward one of the steamers in the river having assaulted a Chinaman was brought before the magistrates. The prosecutor was "sworn" by breaking two saucers, while the following form of words was recited :- "You shall tell the truth, and the whole truth. The saucer is cracked and if you do not tell the truth your soul will be cracked like the saucer." We remember seeing a cock beheaded in a Consular Court in Japan, while a similar formula was repeated. in order to obtain the evidence of a Chinaman in, we believe, a case of manslaughter. There does not seem ever to The capture of Lefroy, the supposed have been any such ceremony in Japan, In

small police cases, have no such sanc-Who could the lady have been of whom I tion, or no such punishment to fear. Engsecond marriages has had little effect in taken after an interval of only five years; the following anecdote is told by Vanity lish law affirmation may now be substituted encouraging them is shown by another and it is with reference to certain facts Fair? She was dining in a grand house for the oath, but in either case the punisheminent writer :- "In each family there elicited by this census that the Governor's not very far from Piccadilly, and where the ment for false witness is the same. In all drawing-room before dinner is kept in hely | civilized countries this offence is very heaare looked on as lepers, and are, to native | He commences by alluding to the fact | gloom. The name of her cavalier to be | vily punished, for the character, property, dea, a disgrace and a shaine. And why / that within one year the total value of pro- was mentioned to her; a form approached and even the lives of individuals frequently Because they are widows!" Legislation perties bought by Chinese from foreigners, in the darkness, and she sailed away with | depend on the truth or falsehood of evicould abolish death by suttee, but it can do amounted to nearly one million and three him to the dining chamber. But lo! it dence given in courts of justice. So far as bought by foreigners was a little more than per place. The snubbed ex-partner cruelly tion where he has good reason to believe

for instance, the English law of perjury

#### Shipping Intelligence. The following is corrected from the latest London and Colonial Papers, &c. :-VESSELS TO ARRIVE.

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Arthur Edward Kouncely. Inspector of but that they also visit the mainland and establishing their representative character. Skipld (s.) County of Bute. The bracken form and blackberry Spring up about his feet, While heath-crowned rocks, or heary cargs, O'er head oft nearly meet.

The storms that blow so fierce and strong, Round may a summit bare. Sweep down upon him. Yet he stands Unvanquished monarch there.

O'er many a glen his sceptre sways: Lone Rannock, wild Braemar, The Banks of Spey, and crooked Glass, -Lochiel, Glenroy, Cromar.

Although he loves his Highland hills, 'Mong purple heath to stand, Yet we oft meet his stalwart form Far from his native land.

Give him the welcome he deserves, He's always brave and true ;\_\_\_\_ Where others fail, victorious he, Shall wave his bonnet blue. \_Journal of Forestry.

### THE COMET..

Astronomers have not yet made up their minds about the comet, as will be seen from the following extract from Nature, June

The comet which, so far as we are yet | informed, was first astronomically observed in the southern hemisphere on May 29, is now well under observation in these latitudes, and as its position will become more and more favourable, it will be a more question as to how long our telescopes will a show it, what data may be obtained for an elements appear to have some resemblance a telescope was magnificent. The head The greater part of the head gave a bright to those of the great comet of 1807, to of the comet was very bright and the continuous spectrum, obliterating the usual which reference was made in Dr. Gould's tail thirty or forty minutes broad, ex- cometary bands, but one portion showed early telegram from the observatory at tending nearly 20 toward the North Star. three bands, in the green, blue, and violet Cordoba, but the identity of the comets The tail was very diffused and nebulous, respectively. Measures of the principal appears highly improbable after Bessel's spread out in fan-like form. Looking in band in the green showed that it coincides classical memoir containing a rigorous in- the great telescope of thirteen inches aper- with the band in the first spectrum of tarvestigation of the orbit of the comet of ture, a multitude of details became revealed bon (blue base of flame) at 5165, and not 1807, which he followed until the perturba- which are not visible to the naked eye. with that of the second spectrum (vacuumtions of the known planets had ceased to be The head was there seen to consist of a tube) at 5198. The bands in the blue and stances attending the appearance of that large as Jupiter seen in a telescope, but of could be estimated, with bands in the first body and one or two main results of Bessel's far greater intensity of light. A spray of spectrum of carbon. These observations investigation. According to Piazzi it was brilliant rays spread out from the nucleus were made with the half-prism spectroscope first detected by an Augustine monk at on the side nearest the sun, then turning mounted on the 124-inch equatorial, a dis-Castro Giovanni in Sicily on September 9, backward mingled with the elements which persive power of about 181 from A to H but the first regular observation was made form the tail. This resembled the jet of a being used, with a magnifying power of 14 on the 22nd of the same month by Thulis | fountain very closely in its general features. | on the view telescope, as in the measures of at Marseilles. From this time the comet's The tail itself extended in a direction dia-star-motions in the line of sight. No positions were determined at every opportu- metrically opposite the sun. The whole decided polarization was detected either in nity by Bessel, Olbers, Oriani, and others | field of the telescope was filled with glowing | the head or the tail. Cloudy weather has until the end of February 1808, and on the nebulosity. I am inclined to think that prevented any observation of the comet 18th of the following month Wisniewsky, this comet has not been seen before this since June 25. favoured by a very acute vision and the year, in modern times at least. It is proclear skies of St. Petersburg, observed the bably the same comet as seen in South Royal Observatory, Greenwich, June 28. and November of the same year, Bessel, closely examined its track with reflectors of 15 and 20 feet focal length, and on November 9 did succeed in finding an extremely faint nebulosity near the computed place of the comet, which he could not find

mers in similar cases. at the perihelion passage of the comet on September 22 it was moving in an ellipse, with a period of revolution of 1714 years, which was reduced to 1685 years at the date of Wisniewsky's last observation, and continuing his computation of the pertur- of the path of the comet may interest your bation to March 1815, when the effect of readers :- I saw it first on Wednesday June planetary accraection had become very small, and the for about a minute. It was then brighter clearly defined in the telescope, as was also don't appear pleased with it. Another time clearly defined in the telescope, as was also don't appear pleased with it.

visible as viewed in an excellent consistent extends to about 10°, but can only be seen the bounding lines of the inner and the much." With which profound reflection comet of June 1845, discovered by Colla, so far by sweeping across it. It has changed outer envelopes. The direction of these Mrs Spoopendyke said her prayers, and, comet of June 1040, absorvered by Coma, so lat of Successfully since I first observed it, as will bright rays, which were very vivid, was not planting her-cold feet in Mr Spoopendyke's bright rays, which were very vivid, was not planting her-cold feet in Mr Spoopendyke's bright rays, which were very vivid, was not planting her-cold feet in Mr Spoopendyke's bright rays, which were very vivid, was not planting her-cold feet in Mr Spoopendyke's bright rays, which were very vivid, was not planting her-cold feet in Mr Spoopendyke's bright rays, which were very vivid, was not planting her-cold feet in Mr Spoopendyke's bright rays, which were very vivid, was not planting her-cold feet in Mr Spoopendyke's bright rays, which were very vivid, was not planting her-cold feet in Mr Spoopendyke's bright rays, which were very vivid, was not planting her-cold feet in Mr Spoopendyke's bright rays, which were very vivid, was not planting her-cold feet in Mr Spoopendyke's bright rays, which were very vivid, was not planting her-cold feet in Mr Spoopendyke's bright rays, which were very vivid, was not planting her-cold feet in Mr Spoopendyke's bright rays, which were very vivid, was not planting her-cold feet in Mr Spoopendyke's bright rays, which were very vivid, was not planting her-cold feet in Mr Spoopendyke's bright rays, which were very vivid, was not planting her-cold feet in Mr Spoopendyke's bright rays, which were very vivid, was not planting her-cold feet in Mr Spoopendyke's bright rays, which were very vivid, was not planting her-cold feet in Mr Spoopendyke's bright rays, which were very vivid, was not planting her-cold feet in Mr Spoopendyke's bright rays, which were very vivid, was not planting her-cold feet in Mr Spoopendyke's bright rays, which were very vivid, was not planting her-cold feet in Mr Spoopendyke's bright rays, which were very vivid, was not planting her-cold feet in Mr Spoopendyke's bright rays and the cold feet in Mr Spoopendyke's bright rays and the cold feet in Mr Spoopendyke's bright rays and the c which was conserved under very summer that be seen by the drawings which I send you. quite opposite the direction of the tail, and back, sank gently to rest.—Brooklyn Eagle. Encke stated at the time that the comet of The No. 1 Drawing shows a most singular the latter was very slightly curved. 1845 reminded him strongly of the great appendage round the nucleus in shape like comet of 1819, which passed across the a milk-maid's yoke, the nucleus occupying served last night, June 27, at G.M.T. 11h. sun's disk on June 26.

June 21, and should soon present a material on the preceding side took a sudden bend diminution of brightness. In perigee its from the circular form to a straight line, length of the tail, clearly discernible to distance would be about 0.3.

(Since the above was in type we have the Royal Observatory, Cape of Good find a great change had taken place—the Hope: After a week of overcast sky the yoke-shaped central luminosity appeared as comet was found there on May 31. Mr L. if it had turned round in the nucleus and A. Eddie, F.R.A.S., of Graham's Town, occupied the usual position, while the nusaw it on May 27, and others claim to have cleus itself had thrown out a bright tail, seen it two days earlier. On June 4 the which gave it the appearance of a small tail was 6° long, coma 20 minutes, and comet lying across the bright envelope. nucleus 20 seconds in diameter; the comet was as bright as a Columbie. ]

The following opinions of American astronomers have appeared in the Daily News. That paper, with wonderful journalistic has not hesitated to telegraph nearly a column of matter from America on this subject :-

"Professor Stone of the Cincinnati Observatory, thinks it is not the comet of 1812, because of its not moving in a southerly direction, but that it may possibly be that of 1807. Professors Eastman and Skinner, at the Naval Observatory, succeeded in getting some fair observations of the comet on Friday night, although the night was not altogether favourable. Professor Skinner describes the comet as having an extremely bright nucleus, which presented was normal, or was due to the prevailing atmospheric conditions. Professor. Skinner estimates the tail, which is fanshaped, at about eight degrees in length. It was also ascertained that in twenty-two minutes the comet travelled three seconds in are; and in an hour nine seconds, giving it a daily rate of travel northward of about three degrees thirty-six seconds. Computing its motion from its position when discovered, Professor Skinner found that in two days and a quarter the comet moved shout ten degrees. On Baturday morning be seen until the sun rendered invisible all of which indicates the presence in the the stars except Venus. The astronomers at the Observatory maintain their opinion that the comet is identical with the one recently observed by Dr Gould in Buenes Ayres. Professor Skinner describes it as a

that which appeared in 1843. years, it seems out of the question that tion) :-

under any circumstances the same comet could have returned in so short a time as seventy-four years unless it has passed in the vicinity of some large planets, which it could not have done. From Dr. Gould's telegram it may be inferred that the comet was very near the orbit of that of 1807 when he observed it. Professor Newcomb communicated by the Emperor of Brazil is inclined to think that it is a case of two | (Dunecht Circular, No. 21):-Correction in rather than the return of the same comet. 24 the head was estimated to be brighter three, p'raps you got a coffin. Show me the One reason for this is that if it had been a than Vega or Arcturus, notwithstanding its coffin. Fetch out the interconvertible cataperiodical comet returning every seventy- low altitude, and on June 25 it appeared falque and help me on with it. Has it got four years it could not have failed to have decidedly brighter than Arcturus, the star sleeves?" been observed on former occasions, because being at about 10° greater altitude than the it would have returned in 1734 and in 1760. comet. The tail, which was slightly curved pendyke, "it is a doublet and—" In neither of these years was any such comet (convex towards the preceding side), was

cleus and the come and part of the tail. much smaller are on the following side, the plemented with a felt hat, and a pair of jack-He will try again to obtain a longer expos- two arcs appearing to spring-from the boots armed with spurs.

structure of the tail; but the larger the a straight wisp of light extending from the photograph, the more difficult it is to obtain, nucleus nearly along the axis of the tail. owing to the diffusion on the light. If he | On June 25 this had become much less succeeds in obtaining two good photographs striking, and the appearance of the head he will next turn his attention to its spec- had entirely changed. The following side trum, which is much more difficult to photo- was then much the brighter, and the general

graph than the orb itself. tory, at Allebuy, secured a number of bola placed within it, the latter having its valuable observations. He says that at focus on the following side of the nucleus, two o'clock on Saturday morning its ap- and its axis turned round in the direction pearance' both to the naked eye and in | up s f from that of the tail.

We may briefly recall the circum- condensed nucleus, apparently about as violet appeared to correspond as nearly as

comet again, and succeeded in fixing its America. It is now certain that this is not position until the 27th. In consequence of the long-expected comet of 1882. It is a notification from Olbers, that with almost equally certain that it is not the powerful telescopes there might be a possi- comet of 1807. The period of the comet of bility of observing the comet again as the 1807 is about 1,700 years. Professor Swift earth-overtook it to some extent in October of Rochester says the comet grows smaller and brighter in nucleus, showing that it is then working with Schroeter at Lilienthel, approaching the sun. The head is active and the tail does not obscure the stars. He thinks it will be visible several weeks. cannot yet determine if the comet was ever

M. Janssen has presented to the Academy perturbations of a comet due to planetary that it was the first time that a comet had with a wide slit, but on narrowing the slit been photographed. The opinion that the the green bands became much brighter than attraction, which is detailed in this memoir, tails of comets are merely an illusion as the rest of the spectrum. was long practised by the German astronoprofessed by Seneca in his "Quæstiones

> the extraordinary transparency of these We have received the following communications:-

The following positions which I obtained T. 12h. 11m., the North Declination being

the hollow, which was black. From the while the outer envelope / retained its

parabolic form. received observations from Dr. Elkin, of Last night, the 27th, I was surprised to The outer envelope on the following side was interrupted in its continuity or seemed

> wanting. The positions I got are a. follows:-

h. m. h. m. s. June 23 ... 11.0 ... 5 33 59 ... 44 55 25 ... 10 0 ... 5 41 41 ... 36 52 27 ... 10 0 ... 5 50 34 ... 29 50 27 ... 12 0 ... 5 55 54 ... 20 42 that last night it crossed the path of

R. S. NEWALL

Brorsen's comet of April 30, 1879. Ferndene, June 28.

Photographic Spectrum of Comet. On Friday night (June 24) I obtained, with one hour's exposure, a photograph on did not know whether this appearance visible. This photograph shows a pair of to the spectrum of carbon (in some form) which I observed in the visible region of continuous spectrum in which the Fraunhofer lines can be seen. These show that this part of the comet's light was reflected

solar light. This photographic evidence supports the results I obtained in 1868, showing that comets shine partly hy reflected solar light, and partly by their own light, the spectrum

with hydrogen.

much finer comet than Coggia's which ap | Royal Observatory, Greenwich, on June 24 out."

peared in 1874, and brighter than any since and 25. Its position was determined on both evenings with the altazimuth and "Professor Newcomb said that as all the and transit-circle. The following are the observations made on the comet of 1807 places deduced from the meridian observashowed it to have a period of nearly 1700 tions (uncorrected for parallax and aberra-

> 1881 June 24...11 25 40 5 38 38 94 40 36 39 25...11 25 55 5 42 51 06 36 39 30 The observation on June 25 indicates the following corrections to the euphemeris computed by Mr Lohse from the elements forgotten which the man called it."

observed. The position of its orbit is such tracted to a distance of about 8° on June | me of one of 'em. I thought from the way has photographed the comet. To obtain Minoris, about 3 east of Polaris. With I told you to get me a bandit suit, didn't I? such a photograph as he would like, he said, the Sheepshanks equatorial (64 inches Fetch out this Cromwell business! Show the plate ought to be exposed for at least aperture) the head showed the want of me this man Burns! Any sword go with paper, it will not be charged less than 5 an hour, but he had succeeded in getting symmetry that has been remarked in some it?" an exposure of only seventeen minutes. other comets. On June 24 the preceding

ure. He wishes to take a larger photograph | nucleus on opposite sides, and higher up to if possible, to examine more carefully the interlace. A very remarkable feature was appearance was that of a parabolic envelope, Professor Bois of Dudley Observa- with a much brighter unsymmetrical para-

W. H. M. CHRISTIE. In a letter to the Times of the 25th inst. Mr Ranyard says of Comet b 1881, at present visible in the northern heavens :- "In general brightness it decidedly outshone the star Capella. spectroscope of five prisms, and a 31-inch telescope, its nucleus and head gave a continuous spectrum, on which I could not detect any bright bands." Last night June He 27, shortly before midnight, the brilliancy of the nucleus had considerably decreased, before seen. Great activity is apparent in and yet with a five-prism direct-vision spectroscope I could see most clearly, along with the continuous spectrum three green subsequency, but as one position of Sciences, at its sitting of June 27, the bands, not only in the nucleus, but also in 12 from that assigned by an orbit which the considered very exact, he came to the conclusion that the object he observed was taken with the large telescope he conclusion that the object he observed was

not the comet of 1807, but another one described a few weeks ago, constructed for of the nucleus, even where the continuous not the comet of 1807, but another one described a few weeks ago, constructed for which happened to be in the vicinity, and which was not seen elsewhere. The discussion of the six months observations of the sion o sion of the six months observations of the indicate, for which the bright-scope gave only the continuous spectrum, comet appears in the masterly treatise to exposure. The results prove that the bright-scope gave only the continuous spectrum, comet appears in the masterly measure to the ness is not more than that of a star of the as seen by Mr Ranyard. This was, I think, which we have referred, viz. "Untersuchungen über die scheinbare und wahre Bahn fifth magnitude. On the photograph, the due merely to the brightness of the conungen uper die schemoure und wante Dann stars are visible through the tail. M. Faye tinuous spectrum; for in the Browning in-Kometen," published at Königsberg in delivered a speech praising the success strument the bright lines over the con-1810. The method of determining the realized by his colleague, and remarking tinuous spectrum were not very conspicuous

On June 25 the night was rather cloudy, Bessel inferred from his researches that Naturales," seems to gain ground owing to but good observations for position were obtained by observing the transit of the comet and of I Aurige over the wires of an eyepiece of the equatorial. The mean of four wires gave R.A. 5h. 42m. 51 34s., at G.M. 53° 30′ 57.6″.

On June 27, towards midnight the double than it was last night, the 27th, when the right bundle of rays, which spread out I'll get him a sheet and a pair of socks, so I saw it well, the sky being clear. The in the direction of the sun and extended to he can be a Roman senator, and if he is disvisible as viewed in an excellent Cometen- colour is of an orange tinge, and the tail a point in the come about half-way between appointed and tears 'em up it won't cost so a point in the come about half-way between appointed and tears 'em up it won't cost so a point in the come about half-way between appointed and tears 'em up it won't cost so a point in the come about half-way between appointed and tears 'em up it won't cost so a point in the come about half-way between appointed and tears 'em up it won't cost so a point in the come about half-way between appointed and tears 'em up it won't cost so a point in the come about half-way between appointed and tears 'em up it won't cost so a point in the come about half-way between appointed and tears 'em up it won't cost so a point in the come about half-way between appointed and tears 'em up it won't cost so a point in the come about half-way between appointed and tears 'em up it won't cost so a point in the come about half-way between appointed and tears 'em up it won't cost so a point in the come about half-way between appointed and tears 'em up it won't cost so a point in the come about half-way between appointed and tears 'em up it won't cost so a point in the come about half-way between appointed and tears 'em up it won't cost so a point in the come about half-way between appointed and tears 'em up it won't cost so a point in the come about half-way between appointed and tears 'em up it won't cost so a point in the come about half-way between appointed and tears 'em up it won't cost so a point in the come about half-way between appointed and tears 'em up it won't cost so a point in the come about half-way between appointed and tears 'em up it won't cost so a point in the come about half-way between appointed and tears 'em up it won't cost so a point in the come about half-way between appointed and tears 'em up it won't cost so a point in the come about half-way between appointed and tears 'em up it won't cost so a point in the come appointed and tears 'em up

A transit of the comet sub Polo was ob-38m., and this, combined with the corrected The present comet appears to have been nucleus two horns projected; they were as reading of the meridian circle, gives the at its least distance from the earth about bright as the nucleus. The first envelope following position:—R.A. 5h. 52m. 46 31s.

> Stonyhurst Observatory, Whalley, June 28. The following places have been obtained with the transit-circle when the comet passed sub Polo :-

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25 11 30 58.3 5 42 52.2 36 38 27.4 ,, 27 11 33 2.8 5 52 50.2 29 46 5.8 Remarks.-(a) The nucleus distinct, but nebulous. Tail bright, and estimated 15° the answer is, Died in Brazil, 1446." in length. Observation good. (b) Observation difficult, owing to cloud. (c) Nucleus better defined than on June

23, but not so bright. Length of tail estimated at 15°. Observation good. (d) Observation fair, very cloudy. Tail 12°-15° in length. E. J. STONE.

Radcliffe Observatory, Oxford. The comet was examined spectroscopical- take inkstains out of marble?" ly here last night at 11,30. The nucleus a gelatine plate of the more refrangible part gave a bright continuous spectrum, while gonia was discovered by Benjamin Franklin of the spectrum of the comet which is now the come and brighter portions of the tail in 1293." gave the three least refragible hydrocarbon bands superposed on a faint continuous ultra-violet region, which appear to belong spectrum. On moving the slit of the spectail the bands died out, leaving a faint conthe spectra of telescopic comets in 1866 and tinuous spectrum, which again gradually 1868. There is also in the photograph a faded away as the end of the tail was tion of the bands, but they are sensibly the

same as those from an alcohol flame. GEORGE M. SEABROOKE.

Comet 1881 b was well observed at the he is a Socialist also before the

WHY MR SPOOPENDYKE AND HIS WIFE DID NOT GO TO THE

MASQUERADE "Say, my dear," said Mr Spoopendyke, as he hurried in hot and breathless, late from his business, "did you get me a fancy dress for the masquerade to-night?" "It's all ready," replied Mrs Spoopen You go as-let me see dyke, beaming. I go as a Spanish guitar girl, and you go as -as -it's either Louis Fourteenth, or

Oliver Cromwell, or Sir Robert Burns, I've "I do. do I?" said Mr Spoopendyke. glaring around, "I go as one of 'em, do I ? comets moving in nearly the same orbit, R.A. + 9m., in Dec. + 6° 23'. On June As they are all dead, and as I will do for all

> "It isn't a coffin," explained Mrs Spoo-"It's a doublet, is it? Well, that relieves

Mrs Spoopendyke brought forth a worn The result, however, was satisfactory, in so side was much the brighter, there being a red velvet jacket, trimmed with tarnished far that it demonstrated the possibilities of strong brush or arc of light on that side, braid, and a pair of yellow velvet knee-breephotographing a comet. It showed the nu- with a bright fan close to the nucleus and a ches, slashed up the sides. This she sup-

> Which is the Louis XIV. end of this demanded Mr Spoopendyke. "Where does the Oliver Cromwell part be-Show me the Burns element on this schedule! If I'm going to get into this thing chronologically, I must begin with the measly king and wind off with the poet which is the king part?" and Mr Spoopendyke shot out of his business suit and drew of 'em'?" he demanded, surveying an expanse of unclothed limbs. "This whole thing is only one leg. Where's the pair for the other leg! Give me some more trousers," and Mr Spoopendyke scowled about

"Don't the boots come up and meet them " asked Mrs Spoopendyke, in some Mr Spoopendyke pulled on the boots, but still there was an exposed space of nearly a

"I s'pose this barelegged arrangement is | Post Cards, the Burns part," grinned Mr Spoopendyke. "He was a Highlander, and this much of me is Burns. Show me the Cromwell part now. Is that hat it?" and Mr Spoopendyke put on the hat and breathed hard. "Where's the rest of me? My head and legs are all f | right; bring out my back and stomach !" Mrs Spoopendyke handed him the jacket,

and he plunged into it with a jerk. "That what you wanted?" he howled. "Couldn't you make more'n three epochs of Didn't the man have but three historical dates? Pull that jacket down : couple of centuries, can't ye? Don't you see the bottom of the confounded thing 200 years from reaching the waistband of the Burns breeches I" and Mr Spoopendyke tugged at the abbreviated coat and snorted

"Maybe that was the way it was neant to " argued Mrs Spoopendyke. "I saw-"You sawed off the coat and pants; now Covenanter's hat, and split the coat of the | Patterns, 2. lamented Louis from tail to collar-band. " Look out for some Scotch romance !" And he ripped off the pants and fired them into the grate. "Here comes another page in

masquerade at all?" sobbed Mrs Spoopen-

"" Write an epitaph on the back of my neck, and I'll go as a tombstone!" yawned Mr Spoopendyke. "Put three bells in my side and a torn staircarpet at my back, and I'll go as a French flat! Discharge the hired girl and get up a cold dinner, and I'll go as a boarding house! But if you think I'm going to any measly masquerade in bare legs, like a baby, and bare-backed, like a circus, just to advertise a hymn-book, a gin-mill, and a broad-axe factory, you're left, Mrs Spoopendyke. You hear me ! You're left!" And Mr Spoopendyke drew on his night-

"It's too awfully mean for anything," mused Mrs Spoopendyke, as she laid away the Spanish guitar-girl's costume, and warmed up her crimping-pins. "I tried to 22, at 10.55, during a break in the clouds envelope surrounding the nucleus was get something that would suit him, and he

> HE STOOD THE TEST. JThe other morning a young man of affable manners presented himself at the box-office of a variety show at Petaluma, and request-"You don't claim to be a journalist, do you?" asked the manager, glancing suspiciously at the good clothes and innecent

expression of the applicant. Yes, I do, though ; I'm on the Fleatown "Hum! what is your department?" growled the manager. "I was a newspaper-

man myself once." "I do the 'Answers to Correspondents,"

asserted the youth. "Do, eh? Lemme see! What was the fastest mile ever skated backward for money in the United States?" "That question is always signed 'Nim-

rod," said the young man, promptly, "and "Correct," said the manager. "When was Cleopatra hung?" "Trim with deep ruching, and bake before a quick fire." Did Oliver Cromwell have a blue wart

on his chin?" "B takes the trick, of course." "Was Queen Elizabeth bandy-legged, or only bandied in one leg? And how do you "Inquire at any hardware store. Pata-

"That settles it," said the manager, promptly shelling out a private-box check. I see you've got 'em all by heart. Pass right in !"-San Francisco Post.

THE following paragraph from the Army and Navy Gazette is hard on the soldiers who fought in South Africa :- "A British savs General W. to Colonel C., "is bound to tell the truth." "I beg your Temple Observatory, Rugby, June 28. pardon, General," replied C., "it is the to Europe, &c. Much trouble and disapone thing a British General cannot do-pointment are caused by persistent attempts sometimes." The force of that remark is to send small valuable trifles through the "Listen. This is Socialism. You and I go in the application of it. No General can Post. Fans, Curios, Articles of Dress, into a beer-shop. You offer to stand treat find fault with his men in public despatches, Fancy Work, and similar presents are conand you pay for it; then I offer to stand though he may rate them as Havelock did tinually being refused, the senders baving treat and you again pay for it." Yes, the 78th, when he told them they had the often spent more in Postage than would but what if I am a Socialist too ?" "Then cholers in their hearts as well as their have paid the freight by steamer. No the beer-seller must pay." But suppose stomachs. Sir G. Colley, at all events, refund can be made or such parcels of the

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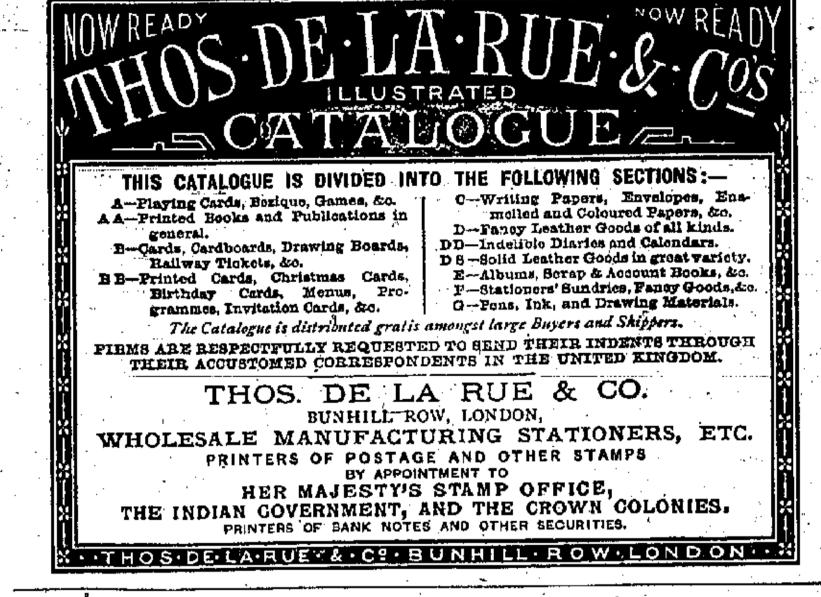
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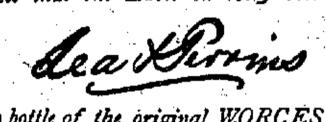
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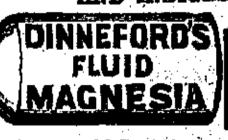
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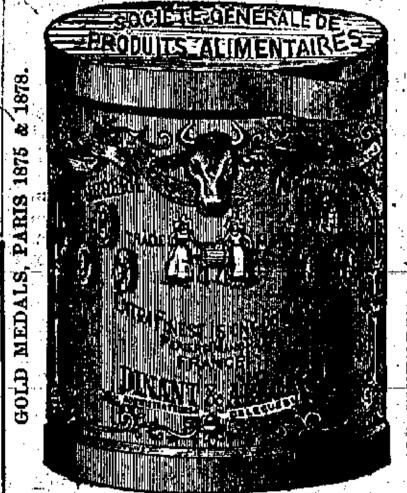
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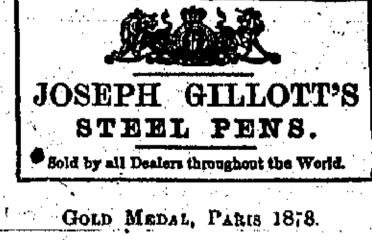
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